

Industrialists Vote to Give Government Co-operation

Resolution, Bitterly
Fought in Committee,
Unanimously Passed;
11-Points in Plan

By the Associated Press.
New York, Dec. 8.—The Na-
tional Association of Manufacturers
late today unanimously approved a
1939 platform urging "co-operation
with the Government." Without
argument on the floor, the conven-
tion approved a program drawn up
after a bitter fight in the resolu-
tions committee.

The faction which favored co-
operation with the New Deal suc-
ceeded in:
Preventing open criticism of
the whole policy of the reciprocal
trade agreements.
Striking out a proposal to revise
the Wagner act.
Eliminating another proposal to
abolish special Federal regulatory
commissions.

The 11-point program called for
co-operation of industry, commerce,
agriculture and labor with Govern-
ment, and said "we in industry ad-
mit our share of mistakes."

For the future, while recognizing
a need of continuous unemployment
relief, the program called for resto-
ration of 9,000,000 unemployed to
industrial jobs in the following
manner:

Business to realize human re-
sponsibilities, accept economic and
social responsibilities, be frank
with the public, maintain high
standards, lower prices as feasible,
maintain sound employee relations,
be a "desirable citizen" of the
community.

Business to recognize labor's
right to bargain collectively
without intimidation from any
source, continued good working
conditions, adjustment of com-
plaints, fair wages and incen-
tives for advancement and a
reducing of the effects of tech-
nological unemployment.

Government to adjust fiscal
policy to attract investment, to
create new jobs for the unem-
ployed. (Provisions of the secu-
rities act of 1933 and the Securi-
ties and Exchange Commission
act of 1934 were described as
"unnecessarily severe," but no
definite recommendation of modifi-
cation was made.)

Increase purchasing power by
increasing production rather than
by curtailment.

Business to recognize Govern-
ment "regulation" for the good of
all, but to oppose Government
"control."

Creation of a nonpartisan com-
mittee to study the whole tax
problem.

Government to improve its ef-
ficiency, lower its cost.

Government not to compete
with private business.

Foreign trade to be encouraged
by "every legitimate means" after
due consideration for the needs of
the home economy and protection
of the "standard of living of the
American people."

Industry to assume "the burden
of producing the requirements for
national defense."

"Removal of existing obstacles
is a job for government, labor,
agriculture, commerce and indus-
try, requiring the best efforts of
all."

\$150 Needed For Tubercular Mother of Six

Mr. McN. Earns Only
\$22 a Week, Can't
Pay Sanitarium Costs

Another of The Post's "neediest
families" is presented for your
consideration today. Decent, de-
serving, hard-working—selected
in co-operation with the Council
of Social Agencies—this family is
worthy of any help you can give.
See if you would like to make its
Christmas brighter.

SOONER OR LATER, almost
every family suffers the devastat-
ing effects of illness, even when
there is money to pay the bills.

Where
there is no
money—as
is the case
with the
McN family
—the fu-
ture takes
on a bleak hue, indeed. Mr.
McN, who has earned \$22 per
week for the last 12 years—during
which time he has worked steady-
ly for the same firm—has been
able to shoulder his financial re-
sponsibilities without aid.

With six children to care for,
that has meant good manage-
ment—and no possibility of a
margin for rainy days.

These days are rainy in reality,
for Mrs. McN must go to a sanita-
rium to be treated for tubercu-
losis. If she goes now and rests
completely, she can be cured. A

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Oregon May Face Loss of Security Aid

Picket Ban Amendment
Said to Conflict With
U. S. Board Act

By Sidney Olson.
Possibility that the Social Se-
curity Board may disapprove the
new Oregon unemployment com-
pensation law, thereby forcing em-
ployers in that State to pay almost
double their present pay roll taxes,
arose yesterday.

Board officials announced that a
hearing—first of its kind—had been
ordered here for December 19,
to determine whether the board will
"certify" the State to the United
States Treasury.

"Certification" by the board is re-
quired of all State social security
laws before the Treasury here may
collect or pay back pay roll taxes.

Board officials said yesterday that
the Oregon amendment to the pres-
ent State law, which limits picket-
ing and makes strikes for union
recognition illegal, apparently was
in direct conflict with the social
security act.

If certification is granted, labor
leaders fear a Nation-wide wave of
such legislation, which they have
attacked as anti-labor. Board of-
ficials stressed the unusual impor-
tance of the case. Oscar M. Powell,
executive director, said that officials
of the Oregon agency and of the
board had discussed the matter
since adoption of the initiative peti-
tion by voters on November 8, and
will hold further conferences
to arrive at a solution "which will

See OREGON, Page 4, Column 1.

Virginia Bride-to-Be Freed After 12 Hours by Abductors

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Lack of Cash Halts Drive to Clear Slums

\$150,000,000 Short
Of Goal; Unfilled
U. S. Loan Requests
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The United States Housing Au-
thority's \$500,000,000 slum reclama-
tion and low-rent housing program
has been stopped temporarily, \$150,-
000,000 short of its goal, Adminis-
trator Nathan Straus announced
yesterday.

Exactly one year after first ear-
marking had been made, Straus re-
vealed that no further earmarkings
can be made to local communities
until Congress makes available
more money for payment of sub-
sidies to keep rents low.

Yesterday he set aside \$23,100,-
000 for 15 local housing authorities
receiving their first earmarkings.
He also granted earmarkings of \$46,-
500,000 for 27 cities for which funds
previously had been set aside.

Loan Contracts Approved
At the same time, President Roose-
velt approved loan contracts of
\$20,000,000 to seven cities for 12
housing projects. The loans are for
90 per cent of costs, and all carry
promises of an annual subsidy not
to exceed 3 1/2 per cent of total costs,
estimated at \$22,228,000.

In exactly one year the USHA
has either had loans approved or
made earmarkings totaling \$647,-
575,000 for 155 communities. Ear-
markings now outstanding total
\$355,919,000.

Loan contracts have been ap-
proved totaling \$291,856,000 for the
construction of 58,518 family dwell-
ing units in 124 projects to rehouse
more than 234,000 slum dwellers.

Explains Differential
"At first glance," Straus said, "it
may appear that there is some dis-
crepancy between the fact that the
Congress authorized the USHA to
lend \$600,000,000 and the fact that
the USHA has been forced to stop
its loan commitments \$150,000,000
short of that figure."

He then pointed out that the
USHA may not enter into contracts
for more than \$28,000,000 annually
in subsidy payments. But subsidy
payments are three and a half or
three and three-quarters per cent of
the total cost of the projects, while
the USHA lends only 90 per cent of
the total cost.

Hence the USHA is first limited to
paying subsidies only on \$700,000,-
000. Further, the USHA allows a
10 per cent margin of safety above the
estimated total cost, since local
authorities may borrow an added
10 per cent if costs run beyond ex-
pectation.

More Local Authorities
"The provision for this margin of
safety reduces the amount for
which definite commitments can be
made to the sum of \$630,000,000,"
Straus commented. He did not say
whether the USHA would make 100
per cent loans to local authorities.

See HOUSE, Page 4, Column 3.

Kuhn Hears Dies Denounce Bund And All 'Isms'

New York, Dec. 8 (P).—In the
presence of German-American
Bund Leader Fritz Kuhn, the chair-
man of the House committee inves-
tigating un-American activities to-
day-shouted a denunciation of the
bund.

After an attack upon Communism
and all "un-American isms," Repre-
sentative Dies (Democrat), Texas,
staring in the direction of Kuhn's
table, cried out that the bund was
seeking to undermine the country.
Dies spoke at a luncheon given
in his honor by the New York
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A Preview of the 'Eleanor Glide'



The "Eleanor Glide," a modern dance evolved, with the help
of Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt, from the terpsichorean past, will
make its debut at the Cabinet dinner Tuesday marking the
opening of the Washington social season. Mrs. Roosevelt
watches her protegee, Mayris Chaney, do the step with Edward
Fox in a New York preview. The dance is "an effort to
create an American dance... as much fun as the Lambeth
walk," Miss Chaney said.

New Donations Bring Chest to 88% of Quota

Northeast Unit Gets
100% of Assignment;
Store Asks Cards

That Christmas time is sharing
time among several hundred late
but willing Community Chest givers
is seen by returns within the past
week which have added \$13,337 to
the Community Chest total, bring-
ing the level up to 88.78 per cent,
or a total of \$1,388,463.34. The Chest
goal deficit now stands at \$238,535.

Returns from 37 firms and their
employees have raised the total
achieved by the Group Solicitation
Unit, under the chairmanship of
Harold A. Brooks, to \$1,111,062.62,
or 87.72 per cent of quota.

Instances where individual firms,
exclusive of their employees' con-
tributions, are responding with
contributions of \$100 or more, are re-
ported through the group unit as follows:

Boss & Phelps, \$100; S. S. Kresge
Co., \$150; Continental Hotel, \$100;
Tolman Laundry, \$100; Edmonds,
Inc., \$100; Griffith Consumers Co.,
\$150; William E. Miller Furniture
Co., \$450; Armour & Co., \$100; Wil-
kins Rogers Milling Co., \$600.

Voluntary canvassing among
employees in an effort to raise the
giving level has recently resulted
in 70 pledges amounting to \$429.75
from The Washington Post, Lans-
burgh & Bro., telephoned for ad-
ditional pledge cards after a meet-
ing of employees heard a Community
Chest speaker.

The Metropolitan Unit, under the
chairmanship of W. W. Wheeler, has
brought its total up to \$194,826, or
95.88 per cent of quota. Post-cam-
paign efforts, Wheeler announced,
See CHEST, Page 4, Column 4.

Anthony Eden To Speak Tuesday At Press Club

Anthony Eden, en route from
England to the United States to ad-
dress the National Association of
Manufacturers in New York, yes-
terday accepted by radiogram the
invitation of Harold Brayman, presi-
dent of the National Press Club, to
address a special luncheon of the
club here at noon next Tuesday.

Eden's "off the record" remarks
will be heard only by National Press
Club members, with the exception
of official guests. The list of invited
guests includes all the members of
the Cabinet; Sumner Welles, Under-
secretary of State; R. Walton Moore,
Counselor of the State Department;
Francis B. Sayre and George S.
Messersmith, Assistant Secretaries
of State; J. Pierrepont Moffat, chief
of the division of European affairs
of the State Department; William
C. Bullitt, Ambassador to France;
William Phillips, Ambassador to
Italy and Hugh R. Wilson, Ambassa-
dor to Germany. From the British
Embassy have been invited V. A. L.
Mallet, charge d'affaires; Frank
Keith Officer, Australian Counselor;
Christopher Bramwell, second sec-
retary and John P. Summerscale, com-
mercial secretary. Norman H. Davis,
former American Ambassador at
large and now chairman of the
American Red Cross and Charles
R. Hook, president of the National
Association of Manufacturers also
are invited.

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See TUNIS, Page 11, Column 2.

Consular Aide Of Italy Held In Tunisia Riot

10,000 Arabs, French
And Fascists Mill
Through Capital Streets

By the Associated Press.
Tunis, Tunisia, Dec. 8.—Throng-
s of Italians, French and Arabs
seethed through the streets of
Tunis tonight in demonstrations
fired by the Fascist clamor over
Tunisia. Their number was es-
timated at 10,000.

The French government strength-
ened the police with armed patrols
from the interior and ordered
heavy reinforcements of mobile
guards to Tunis from the neigh-
boring French Algeria.

Three platoons of mobile guards,
totaling 100 men, arrived tonight
from Algeria and more were ex-
pected shortly.

Police announced 16 persons had
been arrested up to tonight, in-
cluding Vestrì Licinio, a member
of the staff of the Italian Consulate
General, and Ubaldo Rey, head of
the Italian war veterans in Tunis
and president of the Fascist Dopolavoro Society.

The two were charged with
having attempted to start one
demonstration by crying "Tunisia
for us!"

The Italian Consul General, M.
Silimban, protested against the
anti-Italian outbreaks and was as-
sured that the French police had
been commanded to restore strict
order.

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Hitler Reported Rebuked at Grave Of Vom Rath

New York, Dec. 8 (P).—The New
York Neue Volkszeitung, Social
Democratic weekly newspaper, said
today Adolf Hitler "turned pale with
rage" and refused to deliver the
funeral oration for Ernst vom Rath,
assassinated Nazi official, November
17 because the father berated Hitler
for speaking of vengeance as they
stood at the slain youth's bier.

The newspaper said Hitler, her-
alded as a speaker at the funeral in
Duesseldorf, met the father at the
bier.

Hitler tried to console the Elder
vom Rath, the newspaper said, and
told him the whole German nation
would avenge the son's murder at
the hands of a grief-frenzied Jewish
youth.

The father declared that he did
not want any talk of revenge over
his son's grave and that the assassin
had been driven to his act by despair
over Nazi-persecuted relatives, the
newspaper said.

Thereupon, it added, the Fuehrer
turned pale with rage and stalked
away.

92-Degree Heat Hits Los Angeles

Los Angeles, Dec. 8 (U).—The tem-
perature in Los Angeles reached 92
degrees at 2:05 p. m. today, 3 degrees
above the all-time record high of 89
for December.

Arms to Get Right of Way In Congress

House and Senate
Appropriations Chiefs
Favor 'Unstinted'
Army, Navy Spending

By Robert C. Allright.

Ranking members of House and
Senate Appropriations committees
pledged support yesterday to an
adequate program of national de-
fense.

Back in Washington to launch
supply bill hearings in advance of
the next Congress, Chairman Ed-
ward T. Taylor, of the House Ap-
propriations Committee, served notice
he is "not going to skimp" on
defense appropriations regardless of
budgetary considerations.

Across the Capitol, Chairman
Carter Glass, of the Senate Appropria-
tions Committee, and Senator
James F. Byrnes (Democrat), of
South Carolina, his chief commit-
tee lieutenant, declared for nec-
essary defense preparations. Glass
laid chief emphasis on building up
the Navy; Byrnes stressed strength-
ening of the Army Air Corps.

Chairman Taylor said air and
seacoast defense in general are in
his mind most important. The 80-
year-old Coloradan declared he was
back of the President's program
"and many of us are prepared to go
much farther."

"When people ask me if we are
going to balance the budget, I tell
them when it comes to national de-
fense I am not considering the
budget at all," said Taylor. He said
he had "hopes" none the less that
relief loads would be lowered and
Congress would be able to "economize."

In the House, another Democratic
member of Taylor's appropriations
committee, Representative Louis
Ludlow, of Indiana, author of the
proposed war referendum amend-
ment, announced there would be no
opposition from his group to "ade-
quate national defense." He said
he did not think there should be any
"hysteria" or "ridiculous extrava-
gance" but he would support any
"logical" program.

Hearings Open Monday

Ludlow's sub-committee will be-
gin hearings Monday on prelimi-
nary Treasury-Postoffice estimates.
Representative Clifton A. Wood-
rum (Democrat), of Virginia, al-
ready has opened hearings on pre-
liminary independent offices esti-
mates. Taylor indicated last night
that sub-committee hearings on War
and Navy appropriations would not
get under way until Congress con-
venes.

Senator Glass, whose committee
must wait on initial House action on
funds bills and defense appropri-
ations, was not optimistic over
possibilities of spending slashes unless
the cuts are made first in Budget
Bureau estimates. Regardless of how
much his committee tries to cut,
Glass said, it "won't get anywhere."

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Man Must Spend \$30,000 Bequest In Three Months

Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 8 (P).—Her-
man Grieco, 47, cobble, faces the
task of spending \$30,000 in 90 days.

Grieco said today his mother died
in Italy, leaving him an estate val-
ued at about \$30,000, but Italian
officials advised him he could take
none of it from Italy.

Grieco has been able to obtain
only a 90-day passport.

"I've always wondered what it
was like to throw money away,"
he said, "and if they won't let me
bring the money back, I'll show
them how an American can spend
money."

William E. Dodd, Jr., former am-
bassador to Germany, last night
was under \$2,000 bond on a charge
of hit-run driving after his auto-
mobile struck a small colored girl
Monday at Hanover Courthouse, Va.

Dodd made bond returnable at
Dodd's home in Round Hill, Va.,
was served with a warrant by State
Policeman Carlisle Johnston. The
trooper obtained the warrant yes-
terday afternoon and served it on
Dodd at his home in Round Hill, Va.

The one-time diplomat was later
driven to Hanover Courthouse in
his own automobile by State Police-
man E. P. Landers. The troopers
said they were ordered by Col.
M. S. Battle, Jr., director of the
Virginia Division of Motor Ve-
hicles, to hold Dodd's automobile
until the case is settled.

The child, Gloria Grimes, 4, was
reported to be in critical condition
in a Richmond hospital.

Swastika Note, Bullet Sent to LaGuardia



MAYOR LaGUARDIA

Special Dispatch to The Post.
New York, Dec. 8.—A revolver
bullet was sent to Mayor LaGuardia
in the mail at City Hall this morn-
ing, together with a note threaten-
ing his life if he does not cease his
attacks on the German Nazi Party.
The note was signed only with a
swastika.

The mayor will preside tomorrow
night at a "citizens' rally" at Car-
negie Hall against oppression.

LaGuardia, who usually throws
away crank letters and threats, sent
the bullet and the letter to police
headquarters for ballistics and fin-
gerprint investigation.

In recent months the mayor has
been increasingly critical of the Nazi
persecution of the Jews, although
he has not repeated his direct con-
demnation of Reichsfuehrer Hitler.

U. S. Summons Ambassador To China Home

Will Report on Japan's
Plan to Dominate
Far Eastern Trade

The grave Far East situation yes-
terday was added to the delicate
foreign affairs on which President
Roosevelt will confer personally
with his ambassadors.

It was announced at the State
Department that Ambassador Nel-
son T. Johnson has been summoned
home from his post in China for
consultation.

Facing the determination of Japan
to dictate terms on which this and
other countries may carry on com-
mercial or other activities in China,
the Chief Executive and State De-
partment officials are expected to
go over the entire ground with
Johnson in settling upon the United
States' course.

The President for some days has
been in lengthy consultation over
European affairs with this country's
ambassadors to Berlin, Rome and
Paris—Hugh R. Wilson, William
Phillips and William S. Bullitt, re-
spectively.

In addition, Joseph P. Kennedy,
Ambassador to Great Britain, which
is equally concerned with this
country over the Japanese threat
in China, advanced the time for his
visit home and made plans to sail
for America tomorrow. He also is
expected to give the President a
detailed report of his observations at
London and conversations with
British officials.

The almost unprecedented parade
of envoys back to their homeland
and their extensive conversations
with the President and State De-
partment executives is taken as in-
dicative of the widespread turmoil
encountered by them and the deep
concern of the Administration over
political and economic trends
abroad.

Johnson, leaving Chungking,
China, on Monday, will cover a
See STATE, Page 11, Column 1.

Dodd, Former Envoy, Puts Up Bond as Hit-and-Run Driver

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Parley Maps New Fight for Reorganization

White House Conference Held; Separate Bills Is Basis of Strategy

Revival of the President's Government reorganization program, with strategy apparently aimed at initial passage through the House in separate measures, was indicated last night following a White House conference.

Senator Byrnes (Democrat), of South Carolina, who pushed an omnibus bill to Senate passage last session, and members of the Brownlow committee, which drafted the original program, were called into conference with the President.

Following the conference, Byrnes expressed his individual opinion that the program should first be moved through the House, where it met defeat in the last session. Byrnes said if he had it over again he would have offered the program last session in separate measures.

Committee Consulted

Called to the White House with Byrnes were Luther Gulick and Charles E. Merriam, members of the reorganization committee. All declined comment on the program discussed.

At the Capitol, Senator Byrnes said he would call another meeting of his Senate Reorganization Committee. But he declared he had no point in the Senate first taking up the bills, and spending a month on them without knowing what would happen to the program in the House. He said in his personal opinion the first fight for the program should come in the House.

The President reportedly favors putting all of the program in one omnibus measure, rather than in separate bills, but may yield to the advice of Capitol strategists.

Warren Mapped Strategy

The "split bill" strategy was devised last session by Representative Warren (Democrat), of North Carolina, a member of the House Reorganization Committee.

Under this procedure, two of the bills were passed by the House before the Senate after a bitter fight succeeded in passing one embracing omnibus measure. Sent back to the House, all of the bills were pooled into one, and an attempt made to pass them. In the outstanding House revolt of the session, the House amid cries of "dictatorship" sent the bill back to committee.

As all incomplete legislative action expires at the end of a Congress, the entire program must be offered anew in the next Congress.

Would Merge Features

Manifest features of the program provide power for the President to issue reorganization orders merging and eliminating overlapping functions in bureaus.

A one-man Civil Service Administration would replace the present Civil Service Commission, and the General Accounting office would be revamped to decentralize that agency's present auditing controls.

A new Department of Welfare would be set up to handle the work of many emergency relief agencies, and the President would be provided with six additional administrative assistants to aid him at the White House.

Senator-elect James M. Mead, of New York, who in the House last session sponsored the civil service phase of the program, aimed at bringing all Government employees under the merit system, recently declared in favor of submitting the program this time in separate bills.

Wheeler Bill a Threat

Chief threat to an omnibus bill in the Senate is the Wheeler amendment, requiring affirmative action by both Houses of Congress on all merger orders issued by the President. The bill missed adoption by the Senate by only one vote, and many of its advocates predict November election overturns will provide a majority for the amendment on the next test.

Senator Byrnes yesterday reiterated his belief that the Wheeler amendment is unconstitutional. Before the omnibus bill was recommitted by the House last session, substantial modifications were written into it, including the Kniffin amendment, giving Congress the right of majority vote over any of the President's merger orders. This modification is expected to be written into the original version of the Administration's program next session.

300,000 Await Admission to U.S. From Germany

Government officials have received information that there are now nearly 300,000 persons awaiting permission to migrate to the United States from Germany. Nearly 90 per cent are reported to be Jews. Inasmuch as regulations permit only 27,370 Germans to enter annually, it would take 11 years to work through the present waiting list, provided all are accepted.

Nearly 90,000 Poles are on the waiting list to come here but only about 6,000 a year can be given visas.

Presents Program to Eliminate 'Isms'

An 11-point program to eliminate "the danger from foreign isms" in the United States was presented to the Dies committee yesterday on behalf of the Veterans of Foreign Wars by its commander in chief, Eugene I. Van Antwerp, of Detroit. Van Antwerp, shown on stand, said the V. F. W. also is anxious for adoption of policies to keep America out of war.

Associated Press Photo.



Political Arena

Wisconsin's Senator Duffy Urges Progressives to Join Democrats

Senator Duffy (Democrat), Wisconsin, said after a White House visit yesterday he thought the only hope for Wisconsin Progressive Party was to "come into the Democratic Party and help us to keep it a liberal party."

Duffy, defeated for re-election by Alexander Wiley, a Republican, said he thought the party "certainly has no place to go."

He said he had never done anything about suggestions that he be named successor to Paul V. McNutt as American high commissioner to the Philippines. He said he also had been mentioned as a possible Federal judge but that he did not want a judgeship in Washington and there was no opening in Wisconsin.

Harrisburg, Pa., Dec. 8 (AP).—The Republican State Committee, whose State-wide candidates were victorious in the November election, reported to the election bureau today campaign receipts of \$718,121 and expenses of \$716,649. Gov.-elect Arthur H. James reported his personal campaign cost as \$343.

Representative J. William Ditter, of Pennsylvania, yesterday denied reports that he is a dark horse candidate for the Republican leadership of the House. "From the first I have felt and I feel now that Representative Joseph W. Martin, Jr., of Massachusetts, who served as assistant floor leader under Representative Snell, who voluntarily retired from Congress, is the logical person for the post and pre-eminently fitted for it," he said.

Weak-voiced House members will be able to make themselves heard in the next session, but elevator operators and other Capitol employees will have to wait longer for uniforms. Officials said yesterday that Speaker Bankhead had authorized installation of a new loud speaker system in the House chamber with money intended for regular running expenses of the Capitol, including the uniforms.

Senator Bankhead (Democrat), of Alabama, said yesterday the answer to the farm problem is further crop curtailment. Bankhead, a member of the agriculture committee, told reporters there has been "a mistaken idea that farmers are discontented by 'regimentation' under the present farm act."

"The truth is that they are discontented over low prices, which are caused by big surpluses," he said. "If we are going to get the prices up, there will have to be more firmness in reducing the supply of basic commodities."

Harrisburg, Pa., Dec. 8 (AP).—John B. Conley, an attorney, today informed Judge Ralph H. Smith of the Allegheny County Court he would bring charges of fraud in the re-election of Matthew A. Dunn, blind United States Representative.

The Pittsburgh attorney declared many ballots in the thirty-fourth Congressional District, where Robert McKinley, Republican, apparently was defeated, had been cast on forged voters' certificates. An official recount showed Dunn the winner by more than 400 votes.

McKinley supporters said the case would be followed up in Congress.

Hopkins Ignores C.I.O. Protest in Paring WPA Rolls

C. I. O. criticism failed yesterday to turn Harry L. Hopkins from his policy of reducing WPA rolls by not replacing workers absorbed in private industry.

Although the John L. Lewis labor organization had charged in its official news organ that reduction of the work relief rolls was a blow to recovery, Administrator Hopkins told a press conference that WPA employment probably would decrease about 150,000 a month from now on.

He said the \$1,425,000,000 fund voted by Congress last June to carry the WPA until March 1 might possibly run out shortly before that date, but that he expected to comply with President Roosevelt's request that it be made to last through the specified period.

Investors Prefer New U. S. Bonds To Cash Return

Secretary Morgenthau announced last night that more than 97 per cent of the holders of \$941,613,750 of Treasury notes maturing next March 15 accepted new securities in preference to cash.

The March note holders were given the choice of three different types of securities and their selection was approximately \$995,000,000 of 2 per cent nine-year bonds, \$188,000,000 of 2 1/2 per cent 22 to 27-year bonds, and \$39,000,000 of 1 1/2 per cent five-year notes.

The Secretary said final figures were not yet available on the amount of subscriptions also received for the cash sale of \$400,000,000 of the 2 1/2 per cent bonds and \$300,000,000 of the 1 1/2 per cent notes.

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Ex-Army Aide Calls Liberties Union Atheistic

Col. Reed Names Ickes, Frankfurter to Dies Inquiry Into 'Reds'

By the Associated Press.

Col. Latham Reed, former Army officer, accused the American Civil Liberties Union yesterday of defending atheism and the right of an individual to advocate murder, assassination and revolution.

Testifying before the Dies committee, Reed named Secretary of the Interior Ickes and Felix Frankfurter, prominent possibility for the present Supreme Court vacancy, as members of the union. He said Ickes made a radical speech before the union entitled "Nations in Nightmares."

Reed, an intensely serious little man with a crisp manner of speaking, told the committee he had spent many years studying the literature and activities of the Civil Liberties Union.

Bridges Called Communist

The committee also received from Reed a statement that the Civil Liberties Union, in its literature, had called Harry Bridges, West Coast director for the C. I. O., a Communist.

Chairman Dies (Democrat), of Texas, and other members of the committee have demanded the immediate resumption of deportation proceedings against Bridges. Action is now being withheld pending a Supreme Court decision in another case. Representative Thomas (Republican), of New Jersey, has threatened to ask for Secretary Perkins' impeachment because of the delay.

Reed quoted Roger N. Baldwin, director of the Civil Liberties Union, as having asserted that one, whether a citizen or an alien, had the right to advocate the overthrow of the Government by force or to advocate murder or assassination. He said Baldwin had termed this the policy of the organization.

Cities Union's Literature

Producing a quantity of pamphlets and other literature which he said had been disseminated by the union, he said they asserted: That the American public schools were under a capitalist dictatorship.

That the National Guard "stands as a constant menace to civil liberties." That the Postoffice Department exercises "sweeping censorship" of the mails through "vague laws" relating to obscenity and fraud.

Eugene I. Van Antwerp, commander in chief of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, read a statement to the committee commending its activities and urging a broad educational program to combat "subversive forces."

Bills Drafted To Ease Rules On Small Yachts

Commerce Department officials revealed yesterday that legislation is being drafted to exempt craft of less than 200 tons from the international convention, ratified by President Roosevelt about a month ago, requiring certificates for skipper and certain other ship officers.

This legislation, it is understood, will be submitted to Representative Bland, of Virginia, chairman of the Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee, who will introduce it in the House and work for its passage.

By this means, officials hope to allay the storm of protest from yachtsmen and fishermen along the coasts, aroused by the fact that even 40-foot pleasure boats venturing upon the ocean would have to comply with the requirements of the treaty.

The treaty, which becomes effective October 29, 1939, does not apply to craft of less than 200 tons. Commerce Department officials declared reports that craft of all sizes will have to carry four licensed men aboard are erroneous.

The convention does not require the employment of additional persons on any vessel, the department said.

Poor to Get Presents At American U. Party

Special gifts will be given 150 underprivileged children, from 6 to 10 years, who will be guests of the American University Student Christian Association and other students, from 2 to 4 p. m. tomorrow.

A large Christmas tree will be decorated and a student Santa Claus will give the presents.

The Gallup Poll

Nazi Treatment of Jews and Catholics Overwhelmingly Deplored by U. S. Public

By Dr. George Gallup, Director, American Institute of Public Opinion.

New York, Dec. 8.—The Nazi treatment of Jews in Germany, against which many American leaders, including President Roosevelt, have lodged strong protest, is disapproved by a overwhelming majority of voters in every section of the country and every race and religion.

A national cross-section survey by the American Institute of Public Opinion found the vote of condemnation so nearly unanimous as to constitute one of the most decisive expressions of opinion in any of the more than 800 surveys conducted by the Institute in the last three years.

The results clearly point to the fact that in this country there is virtually none of the kind of anti-Semitism manifested in Germany today.

The Institute's survey measured the attitude of the country not only toward the treatment of Jews in Germany, but also toward the treatment of Catholics. It found almost unanimous disapproval of the Reich's anti-Catholic policies.

Through a Nation-wide staff of 700 field investigators, the Institute put two questions to a cross-section of voters in every State: "Do you approve or disapprove of the Nazis' treatment of Jews in Germany?" and "Do you approve or disapprove of the Nazis' treatment of Catholics in Germany?"

Disapproval of the Reich's treatment of Catholics is uniformly high in all sections of the country, the vote being nowhere less than 95 per cent opposed.

The largest minority approving the Nazi treatment of Jews was found in New England, where 10 per cent approved, 90 per cent disapproved. Elsewhere the vote ranged from 93 to 96 per cent disapproval.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE PRUDENTIAL BUILDING ASSOCIATION will be held at the office of the association, 209 Second National Bank Building, 1331 G street northwest, Washington, D. C., at 2 p. m. ON THURSDAY, JANUARY 12, 1939, for the purpose of electing directors and for the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the meeting. The transfer of books will be closed at the close of business on the 3rd day of January for the purpose of recording transfers for the qualification of stockholders for voting. E. J. CARLSON, Secretary.

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Prisoner Tells Bassett Slaying Story to Jury

Fellow Inmate Recounts Mrs. Smith's Confession; Admitted as Evidence

By the Associated Press.
Seattle, Dec. 8.—Judge Chester Batchelor ruled today confessions to slaying and dismembering the body of James Eugene Bassett, formerly of Annapolis, Md., 10 years ago, made by Mrs. Mary Eleanor Smith and Decasto Earl Mayer at State Prison, were admissible as evidence in their first degree murder trial.

The court barred, however, testimony by State Patrol Sergeant Joseph McCauley, whose "clergyman ruse" in talking with the 73-year-old Mrs. Smith at the prison, had been criticized and bitterly fought by the defense.

The first ruling permitted the jurors to hear testimony by Mrs. Millicent Fawcett, penitentiary inmate, and Warden J. M. McCauley of the prison. They were on the stand yesterday, while the jury was absent, and told of the statements of the two defendants.

Privilege Law Upheld

In barring Sergeant McCauley's testimony the court said the privilege law, which bars statements by accused persons to their physician, attorney or minister, was "a salutary one."

Sergeant McCauley, in the jury's absence, had said he purchased a clergyman's collar and shirt before going to the penitentiary and that Mrs. Smith had called him "Father" during their interview. He said his sole purpose in seeing her was to find out where the Bassett body was found, was buried.

While the jury was absent yesterday, Mrs. Fawcett, 48, daughter of a Kansas City, Mo., life insurance executive, recounted how Mrs. Smith, in an adjoining room at the State Prison, had told her of the slaying of Bassett and the dismemberment of his body. Mrs. Fawcett is under 15-year sentence for grand larceny.

Mrs. Fawcett said that after Mrs. Smith told her she and Mayer had killed Bassett, she then detailed how the crime was committed. On the day of the slaying, Mrs. Fawcett quoted Mrs. Smith, they talked about Meyer's contemplated purchase of Bassett's roadster.

"Mr. Mayer had a hammer on the mantel," Mrs. Fawcett said. Mrs. Smith told her, "He motioned to his mother to get out of the room and she did. But she heard him say 'I'm going to have your car and I'm not going to pay you a cent—so-and-so cent. I want you to write this telegram.'"

"As he took the telegram from Bassett he picked up the hammer and hit him on the back of the head," Mrs. Smith said she came into the room and said: "Earl, he's gurgling. He's not dead yet. You'd better give him another whack. So he gave him another whack—and he was dead."

"They put him in the bathtub and took off his clothing and got a galvanized pail and wash tub. Mrs. Smith assisted—she brought in the pail and wash tub while her son dismembered the body. They put the head and hands in the pail and the rest of the body in the tub."

She then said the pair took pieces of Bassett's body in gunny sacks and hid them in the woods north of Seattle.

Doctor Sues Couple Over Jersey Crash

For injuries he said he suffered in an automobile accident in Woodbridge, N. J., Dr. William Perske, 1345 Nineteenth street northwest, sued in District Court yesterday for \$25,000 damages from Edward H. Hopson, a WPA engineer, and Mrs. Hopson, teacher in Anacostia High School.

Attorney Dorsey K. Offutt filed the complaint for Dr. Perske, a physician. Both cars were headed toward New York, the complaint said, when the accident happened on June 12 this year.

Dr. Perske claimed the Hopsons were going 50 miles an hour and failed to sound their horn when their car ran into his from behind. He was permanently scarred, he said, and spent \$1,500 on treatment.

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Bassett Death Confessions Admissible



Mrs. Mary Eleanor Smith and Decasto Earl Mayer, whose confessions to the slaying of James Eugene Bassett ten years ago were ruled admissible as evidence in their trial at Seattle

Elkton Parsons, Seeking Trade, Face Cold Alexandria Welcome

Burglars and Clergy Frown on Marriage Mills, but Rev. C. E. Minor Plans to Hang Out His Shingle There, With Headquarters Here

The chief "marrying parson" of Elkton, Md., may move his marriage mill in his city. Mayor Ruffner explained that all licenses must be approved by the court and a surety of \$500 must be paid by those wishing to practice.

The mayor said he would hold emergency conferences with the Alexandria Ministerial Association and with Judge William P. Woolli, who probably will be called on to consider an application by Mr. Minor.

The Rev. Albert F. Harkins, president of the Ministerial Association, said the clergy "are unalterably opposed to this city acquiring the unsavory reputation of a 'Gretina Green'."

Now that both Maryland and Washington have marriage delay laws, it was pointed out, the "short order" marriage business will naturally turn to Virginia, which has no law requiring delay or medical examinations.

Mrs. Grace Hamilton, president of the Arlington and Alexandria Women's Christian Temperance Union, said last night that her group was pushing legislation in the Virginia Legislature similar to Maryland's.

Elkton residents who had depended on the marriage industry are much upset. For more than a quarter of a century the town has been without competition in its field. More than 16,000 weddings were performed in 1938.

Officer Swears German Sought Entry at Canal

By the Associated Press.
Christobal, Canal Zone, Dec. 8.—Lieut. W. H. Parr of the Coast Artillery, testified today in the trial of a German on charges of photographing Canal Zone fortifications that the defendant had once asked him to be allowed to visit Fort Sherman.

Lieut. Parr said under cross examination that he had played tennis with the defendant, Hans Heinrich Schackow, 26, and offered to take him to his Fort Sherman house and also to Fort San Lorenzo, an old Spanish fort on the reservation.

Three other Germans are accused with Schackow in the Canal Zone's first espionage case. His trial opened yesterday.

In direct examination it was brought out that Lieut. Parr was approached by Schackow October 15 for permission for himself and a party to visit Fort Sherman the following Sunday.

The officer testified he told Schackow he was unable to obtain permission for Schackow's party because the reservation was closed to all but United States citizens.

SEC to Query British Tycoon On Manila Deal

U. S. Officials to Meet Liner in Investigating Philippine Rail Bonds

By the Associated Press.
New York, Dec. 8.—At least five Federal officials planned tonight to meet the United States liner Washington at quarantine tomorrow to question George Stewart Hyde, British financier and motion-picture magnate, in connection with the Securities and Exchange Commission's investigation of the manipulation of Philippine railway bonds.

Assistant United States Attorney William P. Maloney, Charles Murphy, in charge of the SEC investigation, and three or more postal inspectors will make the trip down the bay in a Coast Guard cutter, Maloney said.

The investigation thus far has resulted in mail fraud charges against William J. Buckner and William J. Gillespie. "I can't predict what Hyde will say," Maloney said. "He is accused of no criminal participation."

Manila, Dec. 8 (AP).—A statement by President Manuel Quezon bringing the names of prominent Filipinos into a New York investigation of alleged fraud involving the Philippine National Bank, created a sensation here tonight.

Assemblyman Prospero Sanidad announced he intended to ask the Philippine Legislature to investigate, and if necessary to institute impeachment proceedings to clear the name of the National Assembly in connection with the case.

Assemblyman Felipe Buencamino, accused yesterday by James Caffrey, New York regional administrator for the SEC, of soliciting money to sponsor redemption of the bonds by the Philippine government, vehemently denied he ever intimated the Commonwealth would take such a step.

President Quezon issued a long statement detailing correspondence between himself and Buencamino and Assemblyman Jose Bonto, chairman of the committee on railways in the last Assembly.

The President said Buencamino asked him to meet Buckner here but that he refused. Quezon added his secretary wrote Buckner last February 15 that the Philippine government was not interested in the purchase or redemption of the bonds.

Japanese Make Peer Of News Bureau Chief

Tokyo (Friday), Dec. 9 (AP).—Yukichi Iwanaga, president of Domei (Japanese news agency), was among eight persons selected to fill vacancies in the House of Peers. Akira Kazumi, chief cabinet secretary, announced today.

No Ill-Feeling in Bigamy Case



Associated Press WIREPHOTOS.

Just to show there's no ill-feeling between them, the two wives who caused the arrest of William Coburn (inset), 26, on a bigamy charge shook hands yesterday at a Philadelphia hearing. Before their marriage the women were Beverly Fisher (left), wife No. 2, and Anna Tait (right), wife No. 1.

Community House Sought by Citizens

A committee was appointed to work for a community house to serve the upper Georgia avenue area at a meeting of the Parkway Neighborhood Council.

Members of the committee were Max Schwartz, president, Parkway Business Men's Association; Miss Roberta Showmaker, principal, Parkway School; Mrs. E. H. Hunter, Columbia Heights Community Center; Mrs. J. H. Ratner, president, Parkway Parent-Teacher Association, and Miss Mary Edith Coulson, Council of Social Agencies.

A committee to enlist interest and support for church organizations in community welfare matters was named consisting of the Rev. J. Lloyd Black, Parkway Christian Church, and John S. Cole, Boy Scouts.

\$403,070 in Contracts Awarded for Navy Yard

The Navy Department yesterday awarded two contracts, totaling \$403,070 for construction work at the Navy Yard.

A \$179,450 award for foundations for a gun assembly shop went to the W. P. Thurston Co., Richmond, Va., and a \$223,620 contract for an ordnance storehouse was granted to the Harwood-Nebel Construction Co., Inc., 1520 K street northwest.

Spanish Club Ball Set Tomorrow

The Spanish Club dance of the Foreign School of Georgetown University, given in honor of the Latin-American colony of Washington, will be held at 4 p. m. tomorrow in the Copley Lounge.

Over 40 Spanish "senoritas" are expected to attend. Music will be furnished by the Valencia Orchestra.

\$25,000 Depends on Time of Veto

Bills and how to veto them—a subject supposed to have been settled by the Constitution a century and a half ago—was disputed before the District Court of Appeals yesterday. Depending on the outcome is a \$25,000 claim of the Marie de Prevost estate against the Government. Miss de Prevost died while the action was in progress.

Miss de Prevost claimed the money was owed Stanhope Prevost, whose heir she was, on a transaction which originated in 1867. Congress allowed her the money in a measure sent to the White House May 25, 1936. President Roosevelt signed a veto June 5, 1936.

The Constitution says he had 10 days (not counting Sundays) to return the bill to Congress. That is where the difficulty started. Although the White House records showed that the bill was returned on the tenth day, June 5, the Senate records do not refer to it by name until June 6.

Placed before the court was a 14-page account of the adventures of the Prevost bill from the time it left the President until it was killed in the Senate.

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Oregon Faces Loss of U. S. Security Aid

Oregon

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work no hardship on the people of Oregon.

The money involved is placed in the unemployment compensation trust fund held in the Treasury there, and goes back in the form of unemployment benefits. The employers are also required to pay a Federal tax of 3 per cent, but, if they pay the State tax, are allowed a rebate of 90 per cent of the State tax.

For example, if a small employer pays a State pay roll tax of \$100, and his Federal tax amounts to \$125, he may deduct \$90 from the \$125 he pays to the Treasury, and pay only a \$35 tax to Washington.

If certification is denied Oregon, however, the employers must thereafter pay full amounts in both cases, and in the hypothetical case cited, the employer would be forced to pay a \$225 total.

Board officials believe this phase of the situation was not brought to the attention of most Oregon voters, who, weary of prolonged factional labor strife, rushed through the supposedly anti-labor amendment by a good-sized majority.

Must Conform to Act
Before certification can be granted by the board, the State law must be held to conform to the social security act. Conflict arises over a provision in the national law, which states that the board may not approve a State law which denies unemployment benefits to any other-eligible employee for refusing to work under the following conditions:

"If the position offered is vacant due directly to a strike, lockout or other labor dispute."
"If the wages, hours, or other conditions of the work offered are substantially less favorable to the individual than those prevailing for similar work in the locality."

"If as a condition of being employed the individual would be required to join a company union or to resign from or refrain from joining any bona fide labor organization."

The Oregon amendment, however, redefines the term "labor dispute" substantially, the board noted, in language saying, "no mean and include only actual bona fide labor controversy in which the disputants stand in proximate relation of employer and the majority of his or its employees and which directly concerns matters directly pertaining to wages, hours, or working conditions of the employees of the particular employer directly involved in such controversy. Disputes between organization or groups of employees as to which shall act for the employees in dealing with the employer shall not be classed as labor disputes, and refusal of an employer to deal with either party to any such jurisdictional controversy shall not operate to make the dispute a labor dispute within the meaning of this act."

May Lose \$5,000,000
Further involved in the situation is the sum of about \$5,000,000 already collected from Oregon for unemployment compensation benefits before passage of this law, and which remains in the United States Treasury. If certification is denied to the State, the Treasury may rule that this sum shall remain in the national general fund, for there is no legal compulsion for the Treasury to return the money to the State in the form of unemployment compensation benefits if certification has been withheld.

Another angle is the fact that the Government thus far has paid out about \$1,200,000 for administrative expense of the act in Oregon. If certification is denied, no further extension of administrative expenses will be made, and the State will have to make up the deficiency.

Murder Victim And Accused



LEONA VLUGT



RODNEY GREIG

21-year-old Berkeley, Calif., railroad clerk, who has confessed to the murder of Leona Vlugt, 21, former University of California student, for "no reason at all." "We quarreled," he told police. "It makes no difference what we quarreled about, does it?" She was slain with a 6-inch hunting knife.

Parley to Open On Pan-American Democracy Here

By the Associated Press.

The sponsoring committee for the conference on Pan-American democracy announced yesterday that "Democracy versus Fascism in the Americas" would be the chief topic of discussion at its two-day opening here tomorrow.

The conference, which has no official character, was expected to be attended by delegations from various cities interested in Latin American affairs.

The opening program included scheduled talks by Bishop Francis J. McConnell, on "The Common Destiny of the American Republics," and Dr. David Efron, of Argentina, on "Fascist Penetration in the Western World." George Soule, editor of the New Republic, will be chairman. James Waterman Wise, author and lecturer, will present a report of the Latin-American sub-committee on "Collaboration for Democracy and Peace." Col. R. L. Calder will speak on "Fascist Penetration and Civil Liberties in Canada."

Kidnapers Free Va. Bride-Elect Held 12 Hours

Abduct

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The men finally decided she "was the wrong girl" and threw her from the car near Penn Laird, just beyond the town limits of New Market.

The case is a close parallel to the recent kidnaping of Mary Brown, 18-year-old schoolgirl, who was spirited away from the Washington suburb of Oxon Hill, Md., by three men who held her captive for 30 hours.

Police here said they were frankly baffled by lack of clues in the reported Bushong abduction. All efforts to track down the alleged kidnapers have been hampered by failure of the young woman to regain consciousness and give a more detailed account of the incident.

Miss Bushong, according to the story given to police, said she remembered around "for several miles" after she was thrown from the car. She told of falling into several creeks and trying vainly to protect herself from the cold while searching for help.

It was not until her abductors had driven her "around the country for several hours" that she decided she was "the wrong girl," the farmer said he was told by Miss Bushong.

Investigators said they believed the young woman was drugged and tests are being made. It was learned, to determine if this accounted for her collapse and failure to regain consciousness since early today.

Miss Bushong is the daughter of R. H. Bushong, a New Market auto salesman. Although working closely with police on the case, he has refused to comment on his daughter's story.

Lack of Funds Halts U. S. Drive To Clear Slums

House

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without subsidy guarantees, as it can do under the act.

He recalled that 13 months ago when the authority was founded there were only 43 local housing authorities which could borrow U.S.H.A. funds, and now there are 221 in 31 States.

So far approximately 10,000 of the contemplated 150,000 dwelling units are under construction. Whereas the law limits room construction cost to \$1,000 or \$1,250, the average cost so far is \$752, Straus said.

While declining to state how much money he would ask of Congress, Straus said increasing amounts would be needed for subsidy payments. He added that if he had an additional \$500,000,000 with enough money for subsidies he could earmark that from applications on hand and which local authorities have ready for submission.

Meanwhile, the contract for a loan of \$6,600,000 to the District of Columbia Dwelling Authority approved by President Roosevelt Tuesday remained unsigned yesterday.

John Bolder, executive officer of the ADA, said discussion with District officials must be completed before the contract can be signed. An additional \$3,400,000 has been set aside by the U.S.H.A. for the ADA.

Body of Paul Anderson Taken to Knoxville

Knoxville, Tenn., Dec. 8 (AP)—The body of Paul Y. Anderson was returned to Knoxville today—the city in which he began his rise to fame as a newspaper reporter.

Anderson, 34, was shot to death in a hotel room in Knoxville last night.

He was a member of the U.S. House of Representatives and a prominent figure in the city.

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44 New Contributions Bring Neediest Families Fund to \$600

Gifts

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relative will come to care for the children.

Drains Family Resources
Everything is working out—except plans for raising the necessary money. Mrs. McN's illness has been a drain on family resources. There are a few debts to be met, and transportation expenses to the sanitarium to be covered. In the meantime, six children must eat and the rent goes on.

Mr. McN turned to a social service agency for help, and the Council of Social Agencies routed his case to The Post as one worthy of your consideration this Christmas. What do you think? The council says \$150 is the amount needed.

Forty-four new contributors, with amounts ranging from \$1 to \$225, bring this year's Neediest Families Fund total to more than \$600.

And, in addition to sums of money, the stories of the first 14 Neediest Families of the District printed in The Post have brought scores of offers of clothing, furniture, food, jobs and miscellaneous services from generous Washingtonians.

Yesterday's story of the J. Family—which, besides money for medical care, told of the need for two beds, two chairs, a table, rug and chest of drawers—brought immediate assistance.

Early yesterday morning, a phone call to the Neediest Families Fund headquarters at The Post brought one of the beds, both chairs needed and the table.

If someone else can contribute a chest of drawers, another bed and a rug, the house furnishings needs of the J. Family will have been met—and the four baby girls of the family can be moved into sleeping quarters apart from their parents. At present, because of their lack of essential furniture, all six members of the family are sharing one room.

Other telephone calls have brought offers of food, clothing and jobs for the needy families.

LARGEST contribution, since the last fund report, was a check for \$225—to take over entirely the solutions of the problems of Family P and Family Q.

Chest Obtains 88% of Its Quota

Chest

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have now resulted in the northeast area, under the chairmanship of John M. Howard, reaching 100 per cent of the area quota, for the first time in the history of the Chest campaigns. The Northeast Businessmen's Association has been a vital factor in helping the area to achieve this record, it is reported.

Other Metropolitan Unit divisions continuing post-campaign work with 100 per cent quota record results are the Thomas Circle Division, sponsored by the Catholic Charities, under Miles H. Quail, and the Anacostia division under the chairmanship of William J. Tucker.

Additional cheer for the Metropolitan unit is seen in the fact that Ambassador and Lady Lindsay have increased their Community Chest gift from \$400 to \$500.

Additional big givers through the special assignments unit, under the chairmanship of Frederick M. Bradley, are reported as follows: Rear Admiral and Mrs. Hutchinson I. Cone, \$400; Thomas Leiter, \$200; Arthur G. Newmyer, \$500; and Miss Elizabeth P. Patterson, \$200.

200 Students To Meet at G.W.

Two hundred students from Washington and nearby will meet at George Washington University today and tomorrow for the sixth annual conference of senior high school students. Object is to prepare high school speakers and debaters for winter programs.

This morning the students will elect officers and then will head the question "Should the United States establish an alliance with Great Britain?" debated by Charles Bish, assistant principal of Roosevelt High School, and George S. Montgomery, Jr., New York City lawyer.

Sir Wilfrid Lewis, Washington correspondent of the Times of London, will speak at the concluding luncheon Saturday on "Anglo-American Understanding."

Other contributions included \$18 from "A Transient—just passing through Washington and anxious to assist so worthy a cause," the contents of a child's bank, totaling \$7.43; and 11 contributions amounting to \$18, labeled "Anonymous," and left in the Neediest Families Fund box at the counter on the first floor of The Post Building.

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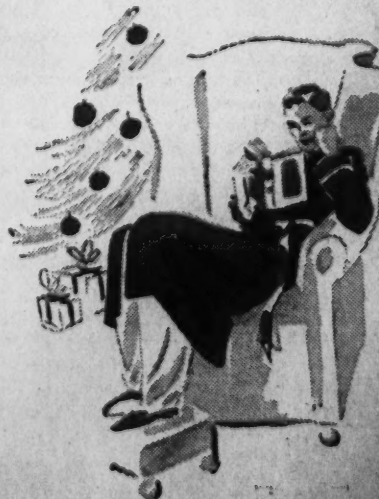
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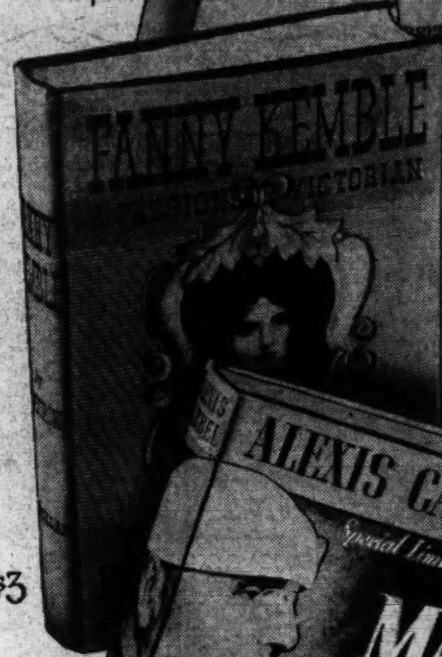
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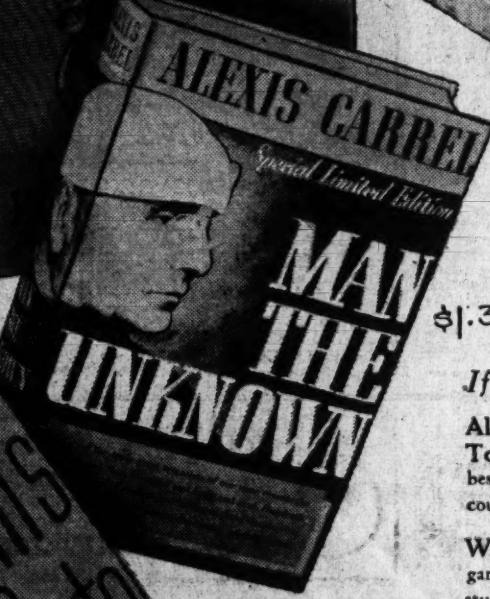


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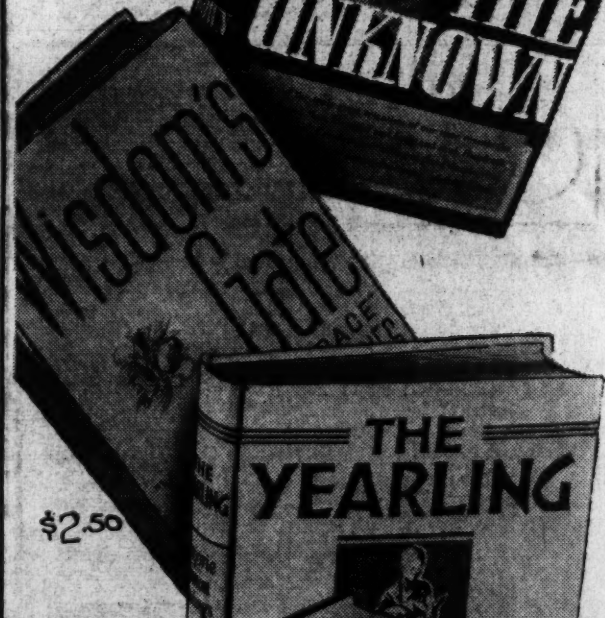
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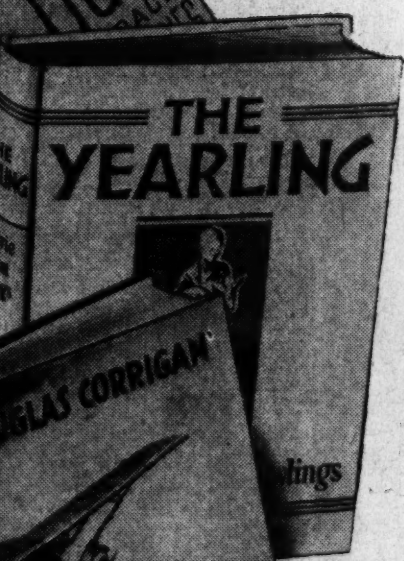


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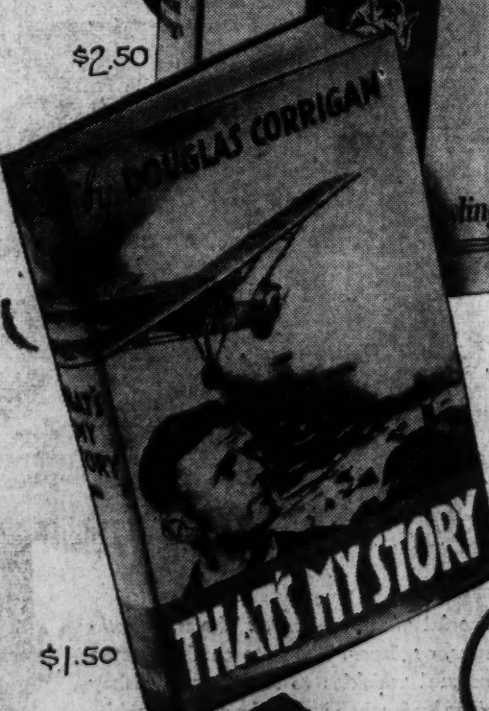


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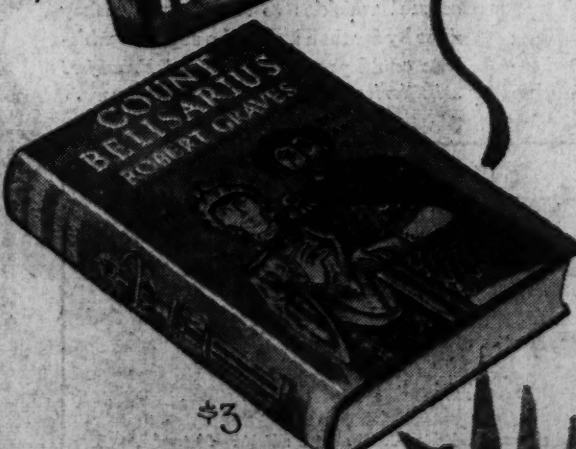
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Funeral Today For Campbell, Claims Jurist

Van Devanter to Carry Pall for Retired Jurist, 80 Years Old

Funeral services will be held today for Edward Kernan Campbell, 80, former chief justice of the United States Court of Claims, who died Tuesday night at the Emergency Hospital.



Justice Campbell had been visiting his daughter, Miss Jean Campbell, when he became ill a month ago. He had lived in Daytona Beach, Fla., the past few years.

Services will be held at 2:30 p. m., at Mount Vernon Place Methodist Episcopal Church South, 900 Massachusetts avenue northwest, of which he had been a trustee and teacher of the A. B. Pugh Bible class. Dr. John W. Rustin, pastor, will officiate. Burial will follow in Rock Creek Cemetery.

Van Devanter Pallbearer

Honorary pallbearers will be Supreme Court Justice Willis Van Devanter, Chief Justice Fenton W. Booth of United States Court of Claims, Justices William R. Green, Benjamin H. Littleton, Thomas S. Williams and Richard S. Whaley, and Maj. Gen. Daniel C. Shanks, U. S. A., retired.

Mr. Campbell had been appointed chief justice by President Wilson on May 22, 1913, to succeed Chief Justice Stanton J. Reilly. He left the bench April 17, 1928, upon reaching retirement age.

From 1888 to 1913 he had practiced law in Birmingham, Ala., where he had been member of the Democratic State Executive Committee and chairman of the Democratic Congressional Committee.

Born in Virginia

He was born in Abingdon, Va., April 17, 1858, son of Maj. James B. and Ellen K. Campbell. He was educated at Abingdon Male Academy, Emory and Henry College, and the University of Virginia.

He was admitted to the Virginia bar in 1883 and practiced in Abingdon before going to Birmingham. There he married the former Louisa E. Brown in 1888. She died in 1933.

2 Daughters Survive

Surviving are two daughters, Miss Jean Campbell, of Washington, and Mrs. John Lewis Underwood, daughter-in-law of former Senator Oscar Underwood, of Alabama, living at Birmingham, and a brother, John A. Campbell, of Asheville, N. C.

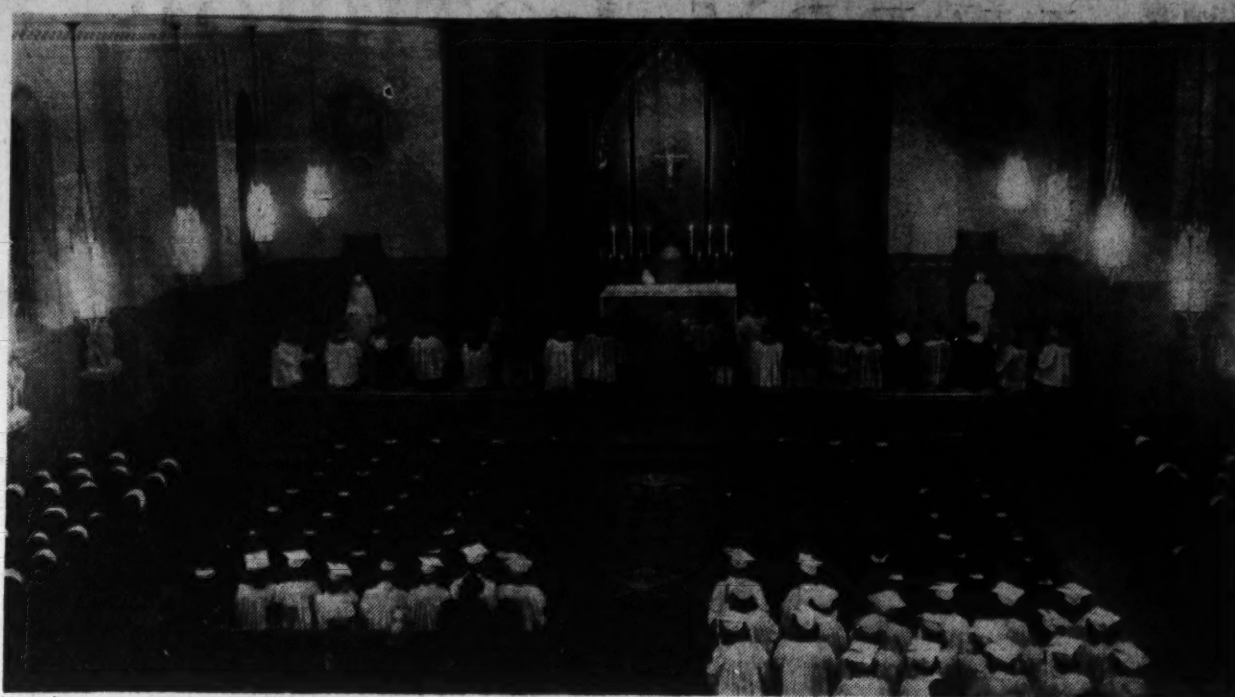
Katharine Carl, Artist, Dies of Scalding in Bath

Katharine Augusta Carl, noted artist whose portrait of the Empress dowager of China, Tse Hsi, hangs in the National Museum, died yesterday in New York City from a scalding she sustained while taking a bath the day before, it was learned here. She was in her eighties.

Miss Carl was well known in art circles here and in London, Paris and China. Her portrait of Tse Hsi brought her first fame. Others of the great and near-great whom she painted include Li Yuan Hung, second president of the Chinese Republic; Prince El Hadj, of Algeria, and Sir Richard Dane.

Born in Louisiana, she held the orders of the Double Dragon from the Chinese government and the Flaming Pearl, conferred by the old Manchu Emperor.

Dunbarton College Dedicates \$500,000 Building



The chapel at Dunbarton College yesterday during services dedicating the new half-million dollar building

\$500,000 Hall Is Dedicated At Dunbarton

Dean Smith Delivers Address; Rooms Blessed By Bishop McNamara

The new half million dollar building of Dunbarton College was dedicated yesterday.

The Most Rev. John M. McNamara, auxiliary bishop of the Diocese of Baltimore, officiated at the ceremonies in the new chapel of the building, assisted by the Rev. John Kennedy, pastor of St. John's Church, Forest Glen, Md. The Very Rev. Ignatius Smith, O. P., dean of philosophy at Catholic University, delivered the dedicatory address.

Dr. Smith said the new college was a "guarantee" of the continued greatness of the American Nation and the security of its free institutions. He hailed the preservation of religious and educational freedom in the face of rising communist and fascist dictatorships.

The procession into the chapel, headed by 150 students in black academic gowns, followed by a white-robed delegation of fourth year high school students from the Holy Cross Academy of Dunbarton College, filed between pews filled to capacity by 300 alumnae and guests. After mass had been sung, Bishop McNamara with his retinue walked through the building blessing each room.

The cornerstone of the structure was laid last January to accommodate a student body which has more than tripled in the three years of Dunbarton's existence as a college. The six-story building, capable of accommodating 600 students, is complete with dormitories, eating halls, classrooms, a theater, auditorium and gymnasium combined and a chapel.

The college is in charge of the Sisters of the Holy Cross in connection with Holy Cross Academy whose building is next door. Both the school edifices are of Tudor architecture. The older Holy Cross Academy was dedicated by the late Cardinal Gibbons in 1910.

Payne Heads Dunbar's Reorganized Alumni

J. C. Payne, principal of Dunbar High School, last night was named president of a reorganized alumni association, in a meeting at the school. Payne announced all alumni would be invited to enter the new organization.

New Yarn May Halt Silk Boom, Near Record Despite Boycott

By Edward T. Follard

The boycott of silk hosiery, started a year ago by American women to punish Japan for her bombings in China, has been a resounding flop, judging from figures gathered by the Commerce Department from hosiery manufacturers.

These figures indicate that the production of silk hosiery in the United States is booming as never before.

However, just as America's women have ceased to be a worry to Japan's economists and war lords, America's chemists—particularly the chemists of the E. I. duPont de Nemours & Co., and the Celanese Corporation of America—have come through with new synthetic yarns that are a real threat to Japan's \$95,000,000-a-year silk exports to this country.

The year-old boycott of silk stockings began at Poughkeepsie, N. Y., where Vassar College girls made a bonfire of their sheer hosiery and announced that they would "wear lisle awhile." The idea spread. Shocked by the Panay incident, the bombing of Nanking and other horrors, American women held boycott meetings in many parts of the country. There was one such meeting here—at the Wardman Park Hotel.

The production of silk stockings in the United States in 1937 was 39,678,000 pairs, a record. Early in 1938, the alarm felt by manufacturers at the capacity by 300 alumnae and guests. After mass had been sung, Bishop McNamara with his retinue walked through the building blessing each room.

One answer to the tremendous

consumption in recent years has been the sheerness of the stockings. Since they don't last as long, more are bought.

The duPonts now say that they have a synthetic yarn that has all the virtues of silk and a few besides. It is called "nylon," and is compounded of coal, water and air. It is even more elastic than silk, the duPonts say, is just as sheer, and is as "strong as steel."

The Celanese Corporation, whose main plant now is in Cumberland, is not saying much about its new textile yarn. That it thinks a lot of it, however, is indicated by its announcement of plans to build a \$10,000,000 factory at Pearisburg, Va. Raw silk distributors in New York are worried and admit it. Some of them have warned the Japanese government that it had better take heed of this new product of America's chemists, and adjust its economy accordingly.

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'Siamese Twin' Sues Doctors For \$75,000

Colored Boy Charges Operation Designed to Help Girl Was Illegal

Washington's celebrated "Siamese twin" operation of just one year ago entered the litigation stage yesterday when a \$75,000 damage suit was filed against the two surgeons who attempted to save a young colored girl from permanent disfigurement.

Dr. Robert E. Moran and M. P. DeVito were named defendants in an action brought in District Court by Margaret Moore, colored, in behalf of her son, John Melvin Bonner, 14. The colored youth was the donor in a skin-grafting operation designed to save Clara Howard, 12, from physical hideousness caused by burns suffered in a home accident a few years earlier.

The operation was not a complete success, due to circulatory complications encountered while the boy and girl were joined. Siamese-twin fashion, by a tube of the boy's flesh. His blood flowed into her body and failed to make a complete circuit, so that the tube had to be severed before the actual grafting could begin.

Through his counsel, Eugenio M. Fontana, Juan R. Quijano and F. Marquis Zarda, the Bonner boy charges that the doctors "illegally and improperly" and "maliciously performed the operations without justification and authority" and illegally subjected the patient to an "experimental operation in an effort to make them into artificial Siamese twins."

The plaintiff had to have six blood transfusions as a result of the case, according to the suit. Dr. DeVito was among those who gave blood.

Dr. Brown Fined \$5,000 in Tax Evasion Case

Dr. Gratton Tyler Brown, Washington physician, was fined \$5,000 in Federal court at Baltimore yesterday when he pleaded no defense to an income tax evasion charge.

Justice W. Calvin Chestnut said he was persuaded not to jail the physician because of his general good reputation and the fact that he had paid approximately \$8,000 in back taxes.

Frank J. Hogan, Washington attorney representing Dr. Brown, said inaccurate and careless records were accountable for the physician's tax difficulties.

Government Prosecutor G. Randolph Aiken told the court Dr. Brown reported an income of \$37,000 for the years 1931-1933, inclusive, whereas his actual income over the four-year period was found by the Internal Revenue Bureau to be \$119,537.

A nationally recognized allergist, Dr. Brown is an instructor at the Georgetown Medical School.

Woodring to Move In, Air Corps to Move Out

Moving day for the War Department early next year will force the Air Corps, the National Guard Bureau and Surgeon General's Office to quit the Munitions Building to make room for the offices of the Secretary and Assistant Secretary of War and the General Staff, it was learned yesterday.

The National Guard Bureau will be housed in the Winder Building, Seventeenth and E streets northwest, while the Air Corps and the Surgeon General's Office will be moved to the recently-acquired Corcoran Court Apartments, 401 Twenty-third street northwest, now being adapted for office purposes.

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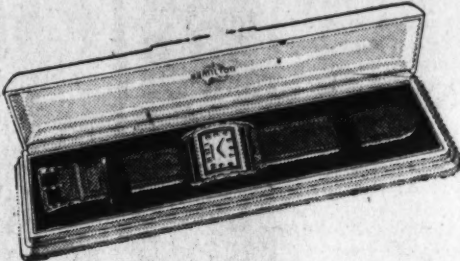


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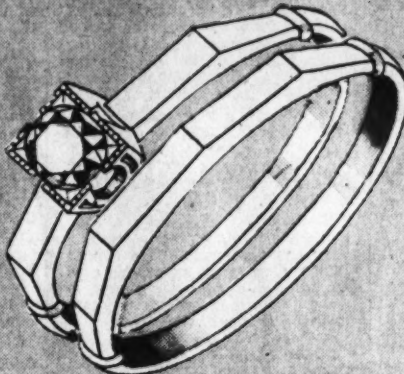


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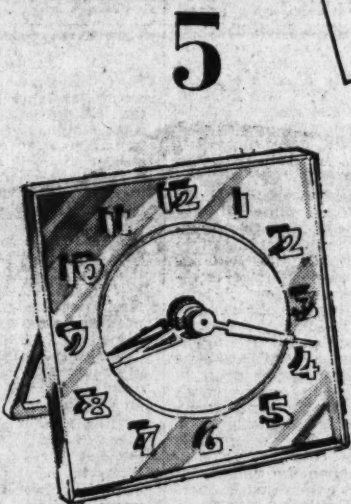
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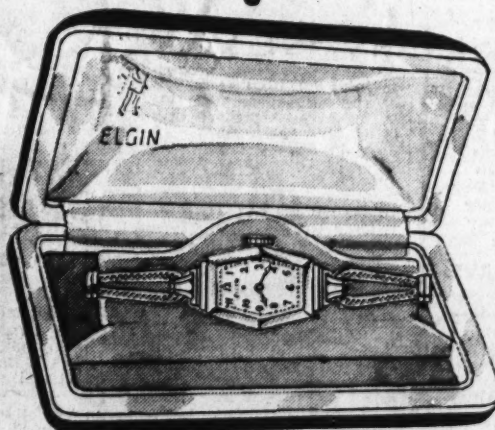
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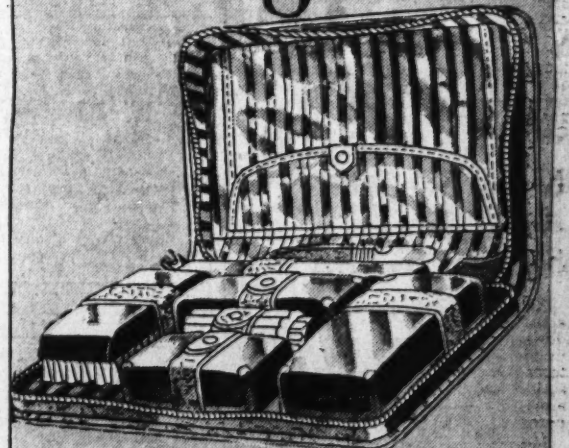


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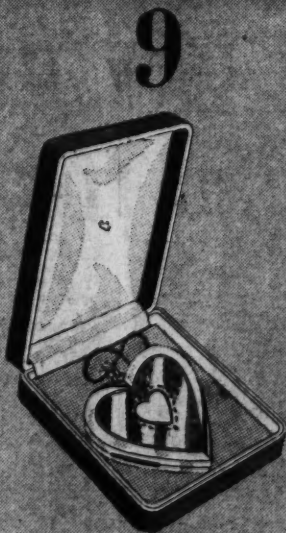
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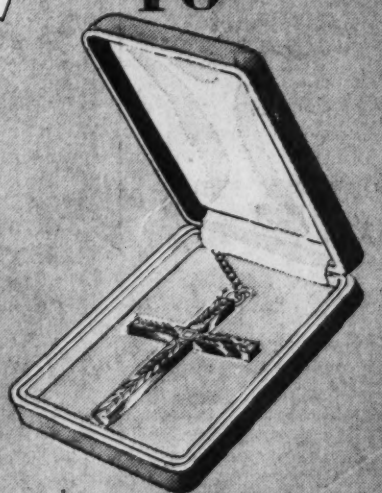


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This Troubled World

(In view of the preoccupation of so many minds at this time with international affairs, Ernest Noer has selected the following ten books as among the most significant of the hundreds on this subject that have appeared this year.)

"WHILE ENGLAND SLEPT," by Winston Churchill. (Putnam, \$4.)

Month after month, year after year, Winston Churchill, the ablest and most brilliant figure in contemporary British life, has been playing the thankless role of Cassandra to the British governing class. This volume is composed of the speeches made by him in the House of Commons. They show with what rare understanding and prophetic vision he followed the developments unrolling on the world stage. The book makes fascinating, if somewhat melancholy, reading.

"WAR AGAINST THE WEST," by Aurel Kolnai. (Viking Press, \$4.)

The totalitarian state, in this writer's opinion, is a reversion to tribalism. He backs this thesis up with a wealth of proof culled exclusively from Nazi sources.

Those seeking an understanding of the ideology of the present masters of the Germany of Goethe, Schiller and Heine will find this volume invaluable. It is indispensable for all students of current affairs in which the Third Reich plays so dominant a role.

"THE RAMPARTS WE WATCH," by George Fielding Eliot. (Reynal & Hitchcock, \$3.)

With the problem of American defense emerging as one of the great problems facing the people of this Nation today, this book is as timely as it is indispensable. Detached, objective and authoritative, it serves to throw a much-needed spotlight on problems of policy and strategy which are mysteries to the average man.

"RED STAR OVER CHINA," by Edgar Snow. (Random House, \$3.)

The well-documented story of the Chinese "Reds" whose compact with Chiang Kai-shek at Sian in December, 1936, helps explain why Japan launched her undeclared war and why, after 17 months that war is still going on. The latest edition has brought the narrative of the Eighth Route Army up to date.

tional consequences arising from that world-shaking development.

"INSANITY FAIR," by Douglas Reed. (Random House, \$3.)

Mr. Reed was for ten years a correspondent of the London Times in Berlin, Vienna and elsewhere in Europe. His "personal history" provides the framework for a vivid survey of developments on that continent and of the personalities behind these developments. A Conservative in politics, he is extremely critical of the present government's policies.

"THE COMING VICTORY OF DEMOCRACY," by Thomas Mann. (Knopf, \$1.)

The greatest of German writers and one of the great figures of our times, now an exile in the United States, eloquently states the case for freedom and explains why, in his opinion, democracy's ultimate triumph is inevitable.

"THE HOUSE THAT HITLER BUILT," by Stephen H. Roberts. (Harper, \$3.)

An excellent study of the Third Reich, the Nazi Party system and state, the economic, financial and ideological aspects of Hitlerism. Based on personal observation extending over a period of many months and wide reading it provides the reader with an indispensable guide to a country and a movement that are affecting the lives and fortunes of countless millions in Europe and elsewhere.

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He is the kind of curious Southerner who can enter the zone of sentiment without getting sentimental or calling for six juleps to subside his emotion. He writes of Southern gentle folk, and, though one of that class himself, is without objective about their doings. Necessarily, his work revolves around various sports (which he is a master). Overshadowing everything is a nostalgia for the day of lace and grace and an art of living and "a manner of being born."

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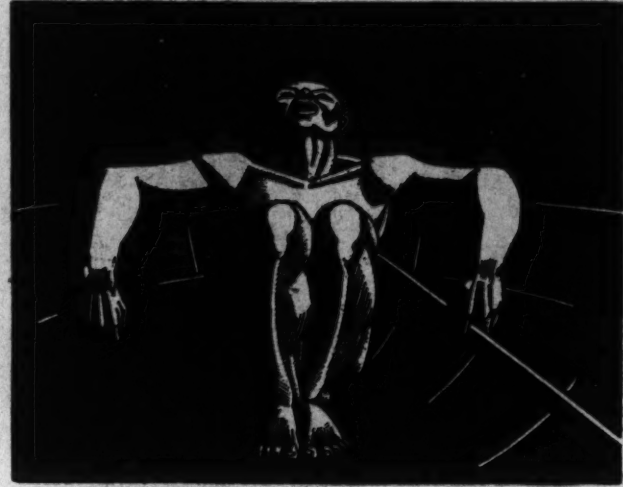
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Mr. Curtis is equally famed with the others mentioned here and has devoted his volume to 12 chapters, concerning famous dogs he has owned or known. It is interesting for the hunting information he drops while going along and for the diversity of subject matter. His heroes are dogs and the readers should be those millions of people who idolize them. You will find Mr. Curtis telling you many things on the subject which you don't know before. And he tells it entertainingly enough.

"BLOOD LINES," by Nash Buckingham. (1250 numbered copies; Derridale Press, \$7.50.)

"SPORTSMEN ALL," by Paul A. Curtis. Illustrated by Marguerite Kirmse. (950 numbered copies; Derridale Press, \$7.50.)

Frontispiece by Rockwell Kent



From "One Thousand Autobiographical Sonnets," by Dr. Merrill Moore, who is said to have written at least 49,000 other sonnets. In many ways one of the most remarkable books of poetry published this year. To be reviewed later. (New Directions, \$5)

Streamlines For Judicial Review

By Merlo J. Pusey.

Edward S. Corwin's latest volume entitled "Court Over Constitution" doubtless had its origin in his appearance before the Senate Judiciary Committee in March, 1937, to support President Roosevelt's court re-organization bill. In that stormy session the Princeton professor contradicted several views he had previously held. His desire for "retraveling familiar territory" can thus be readily understood.

Dr. Corwin made a candid and impressive argument in favor of the 1937 judiciary bill on grounds of expediency. His difficulties began when some members of the committee remembered what he had previously said and written on the subject of "packing" the Supreme Court. In 1936 he had found that method of curbing the court's power to be objectionable. A year later he was wholeheartedly in favor of it.

When Dr. Corwin finished testifying it was rather difficult to determine from the record and his previous writing just what he did believe with respect to the role of the Supreme Court. Nor is the confusion entirely eliminated by his own explanation. "Perhaps the chief difficulty is that Dr. Corwin ascribes to the Supreme Court a role which no truly judicial body can serve.

Without quite saying so, Dr. Corwin intimates that the function of the court is to adapt its decisions to election returns. He quotes approvingly Marshall's thesis "that the Constitution was intended to endure for ages to come" without attempting to explain how it can endure if the courts are willing to abandon its provisions. "The question of adaptation of the Constitution," he says, "has become an important measure the question of the adaptation of judicial review yet adaptation to what?" His conclusion is:

"That to which all our governing institutions must remain adapted if they are to retain their popular character is the dominant political forces of the country as revealed at the ballot box. In the long run, the majority is entitled to have its way, and the run must not be too long either!

Of course, this is an entirely tenable point of view. But it would give us a divergent sort of Government than we have had for a century and a half. It would mean a supreme legislature or, in any event, a double court. If a majority could have its way, regardless of constitutional limitations, then freedom of speech might be abolished. That is not what Dr. Corwin has in mind. He would doubtless expect

the court to strike down any such illiberal measure. The chief weakness of his argument is that he seems to expect the court to cling to basic principles in some cases and to follow election returns in others.

It is difficult to escape the conclusion that Dr. Corwin's disagreement with various Supreme Court decisions in recent years also has influenced his view of constitutional history. In an earlier volume, entitled "The Doctrine of Judicial Review," he said it "can be reasonably doubted" that "the members of the Convention of 1787 thought the Constitution secured to courts in the United States the right to pass upon the validity of acts of Congress under it. . . . His present conclusion is: 'Certainly this evidence is far from affording ground for very confident pronouncements with regard to the attitude of the Convention as a body.'

One of the most valuable sections of the book is that dealing with development of the co-operative movement between the Federal and State governments. Congress has extended its powers over interstate commerce and communications, in support of various State policies. And it has held out inducements, primarily of a pecuniary nature, to encourage the enactment of local statutes dealing with social security, education and public improvements.

One other valuable contribution is the professor's emphasis upon the limited character of judicial decisions. The court never presumes to pass upon the validity of a legislative act unless such a question is raised in litigation before it. And when the courts refuse to recognize an act of Congress as enforceable law, they do not tie the hands of the Legislature. As Dr. Corwin puts it, "while the court can and must decide cases according to its own independent view of the Constitution, it does not in so doing fix the Constitution for an indefinite future."

Frequently Congress corrects the defects of an invalid statute and re-enacts it. It could, of course, keep unconstitutional legislation on the statute books by re-passing it faster than the courts could set it aside, but that is only another way of saying that Congress has the power to break down constitutional government. It should not be supposed that the court will be able to indefinitely save the Constitution if, at any time, the other branches of the government are determined to destroy it.

"COURT OVER CONSTITUTION," by Edward S. Corwin. (Princeton University Press, \$2.50.)

A Few Selections From Publishers' 1938 Lists

By The Book Editor

What is a Christmas book? In this matter there are, it would seem, two fairly distinct schools. One would appear to hold that a Christmas book has some special affinity with the season as, for example, "The Cricket On The Hearth" or "The Fourth Wise Man." To this school, evidently, belongs a publisher, whose list is large and variegated but who said recently in reply to an inquiry that he is publishing no Christmas books this year. Nevertheless the same publisher has gathered between a pair of holiday covers the titles of a good many books that he deems "suitable for Christmas giving."

The more prevalent opinion nowadays is that a Christmas book is any book that might make an appropriate Christmas present. With a few pretty obvious exceptions this would seem to include any book that is worth reading. In the preface to the volume to which he gave the title of "Christmas Books," Dickens



wrote, as you may remember, that his purpose was "to awaken some loving and for a ring thoughts never out of season in a 'Christian' land." Since this brave new world of ours has, at this moment, much need of loving and forbearing thoughts I am inclined to think that any book which serves as messenger for such a thought certainly deserves that a little of a Christmas book. If this be so, the selection of a Christmas book may be safely predicted on the tastes and circumstances of the giver and recipient. The difficult problem of selection arises not from dearth of good books but from an abundance of them.

Thus a reviewer who undertakes some list of recommended Christmas books is more likely than to find, when the business is over and done and the forms are irrevocably locked, that a fallible memory has tricked him into omitting more than one book of exceptional merit. Even greater is the danger that some work, evincing great wisdom, great talent or even genius might have come to his desk and escaped from it unread. And still more terrifying is the possibility, to be confessed in all candor, that such a work might have been read but unrecognized.

So it is with all due qualms and qualification that I shall mention among the many thousand new books published in the year now ending some books that seem to me in their respective categories specially deserving of your attention.

On the whole it has been a very good year for books. It has been particularly good, I think, in the matter of anthologies and handy works of reference. In the matter of value I should be inclined to put at the top of the list "The Oxford Companion to Music" (Oxford University Press, \$2.50), a single fat volume into which Mr. Percy Scholes has managed to compress encyclopedic quantities of musical history, musical biography and musical theories and forms, and hundreds of remarkable pictures, such as, for instance the crwth—playing angels you see in this column.

Another great bargain is the "Complete Greek Drama" (Random House, \$5), edited by Whit-

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In biography, too, it has been a brilliant year. At the head of this year's biographies most of us, I suspect, would place C. Van Doren's "Benjamin Franklin: already an odds-on favorite."

Margaret Armstrong's "Far Kember: 'A Passionate Victorian' (Macmillan, \$3), will be many a Christmas shopping and well merits its place. The same might be said of P. J. Proust's "The King of the Beggars" (Viking Press, \$2.50), a life of D. O'Connell, as fine a piece of historical portraiture as any you know, and one which, up to now, has received far less attention than it deserves.

Among the more recently published biographies ought to be mentioned James A. F. "Behemoth" (Harcourt, Brace, \$3), wherein the N. Deal's Warwick candidly closes himself and his hand; and William A. White's "A Puritan Biography" (Macmillan, \$3.50), almost definitive life of C. Coolidge. Each of these is a fascinating book, and each doubt is valuable source material for the history of our times.

The same thing may be said of the Letters of Lincoln Steffens (Harcourt, Brace, \$10), for times which immediately precede our own. It is enough to say for these letters that they are even more interesting in some respects than Steffens' biography.

Under the head of letters, memoirs two other books must be mentioned. One of these is a volume of The Letters of Henry Adams (Houghton, Mifflin, \$4.50), which made its appearance this fall. These letters reveal a rare new and hitherto unsuspected facets of one of the most extraordinary Americans. The Journal of Bronson Alcott (Little, Brown, \$5), edited by Odell Shepley lift their author close to top rank among the great New England diarists. The Letters of J. W. Gillespie Birney (Appleton, \$2.00), \$10 have special interest for students of American history in the years immediately preceding the Civil War. Birney was perhaps the greatest of the Abolitionist leaders.

One of the most interesting historical books of the year is "England's Years of Danger" (Oxford University Press, \$2.75), dealing with the years 1792-1815 and the

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Gift Books

Edited by Paul Frishauer from contemporary documents. Some striking analogies between Napoleon and contemporary dictators and between the England of 1792-1815 and the England of today are pointed out by the reader.

Herbert Agar's "The Pursuit of Happiness" (Houghton, Mifflin, \$3) is perhaps the best history of the Democratic Party that has yet been written. Allan Nevins' "The Road to History" (Appleton-Century, \$4) affords an admirable approach to the general subject.

Turning now to fiction: The year has been notable for its fine harvest of historical novels. Of these I have read I think I like best Miss Esther Forbes' "The General's Lady" (Harcourt Brace, \$3), wherein the story of Agamemnon and Clytemnestra is transferred to Northwestern Massachusetts, in the time of the Revolutionary War, and retold in a fine prose, revealing again her remarkable gift for telling her costumes with the bodies and souls of warm and sensibly human beings.

I confess that I have yet to read Patrick Carleton's "Under the Dog" (Dutton, \$2.50), which concerns the War of the Roses and appears to have caused everyone who has read it to modify considerably his concepts of the character of that time, and especially Richard of York. It was reviewed for The Post about the time of publication last summer by Miss Evelyn Page, a sound critic by no means given to extravagances. She said, "I remember that when she had finished it she had read the third part of Shakespeare's Henry VI and all of Richard III. And after that she read a good deal of 'Under the Dog' and found that it stood up quite as well as before."

Another fine historical novel is Robert Graves' "Count Belshazzar" (Random House, \$3). It is much in the vein of "I, Claudius," that is to say, wholly in the mood of the time, which is that of fifth century Byzantium, and containing very remarkable portraits of the Emperor Justinian and the wanton and clever Theodora, that sometime lady of the East, with whom he shared the imperial throne.

With these books might also be included Vincent Sheean's "A Day of Battle," which concerns the battle of Fontenoy, the victory which deluded the French into believing that the sunset of the Grand Monarchy was really another dawn.

Under the head of a historical novel might also be placed Rachel Field's "All This and Heaven Too," which since its appearance a few weeks ago has had such remarkable success as scarcely to need mention here. At any rate the heroine, Miss Field's great-grandmother, was a real historical character, and the scandal in which she became innocently involved helped to overthrow the Orleans monarchy.

In the field of fiction the great event this year was the publication of Thomas Mann's "Joseph and His Brothers" (Knopf, \$5), which many critics have now decided is the greatest work to date of that great living author. Among other levels of which some mention should be made here are "The Great American Novel" (Farrar, Rinehart, \$2.50), a rather pathetic tale of a newspaperman who hoped he would be the one to write it; "Young Mr. With a Horn" (Houghton, Mifflin, \$2.50), the skillfully written story of the life and death of a jazz musician who was, in his way, almost though not quite, a genius; and Daphne du Maurier's curious novel, "Rebecca," wherein a great deal of dramatic action goes on, both inside and outside the characters.

Though the years harvest of history has been, as you might expect, enormous, the more important development of the year would seem to be the collection

Outstanding Titles In A Variety Of Fields

ing between single covers the work of each of several well established poets. Among these are Laura Riding (Random House, \$4), Genevieve Taggard (Harper, \$4), and William Carlos Williams (New Directions, \$3). And this year for the first time the representative work of Jeffers has been gathered into a single volume under the title, "The Selected Poetry of Robinson Jeffers" (Random House, \$3.50).

The most remarkable book of new poetry I have seen this year is "One Thousand Autobiographical Sonnets" (New Directions, \$5), by Merrill Moore. Dr. Moore, a psychiatrist by trade, and a poet by some prodigious movement of soul, has done astonishing things with the sonnet, reshaping it into something that seems more plastic even than prose.

Of the many good travel books I shall mention only one, Cecile Hulce Matsch's "Suwannee



River" (Farrar & Rinehart, \$2.50), latest and certainly one of the best of the "Rivers of America" series. Although this is not really the river Stephen Foster had in mind when he wrote the "Old Folks at Home," Mrs. Matsch, who followed its course and mutations from the Okefenokee Swamp to the Gulf of Mexico, has shown it to be one of the most fascinating rivers of the world.

It is hard to say whether Margaret Halsey's "With Malice Toward Some" (Simon & Schuster, \$2), could be properly classified as humor. Actually it is highly amusing satire, in which are scored off a good many old debts to British authors who have been writing about the United States. A more penetrating, if less malicious, form of social satire is presented in "Mr. Dooley at His Best" (Scribner, \$2.50), a collection from the work of the late Finley Peter Dunne by Elmer Ellis. Beneath the barbarous dialect, so offensive today to both eye and ear, this collection proves Dunne to have been the soundest and shrewdest political critic of his age.

I had not meant to say anything here about art books. But as I write this, there comes to my desk what is certainly one of the year's finest bargains—the Phaidon Press edition of "The Paintings of El Greco," containing plates of all the principal works of Theotocopuli, the Old Master who is today considered the first of the great moderns. It is published in this country under the imprint of Oxford University Press and the price is \$5.

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A Winter's Tale

"VALLEY FORGE," by Harry Emerson Wildes (Macmillan, \$3.50.)

EVERY AMERICAN knows that the winter of 1777-78 was the darkest period of the revolutionary cause and the heroism shown by the Continental Army during those frozen and fearful months was of the most realistic sort. But for the first time in 80 years a book has been written depicting in detail what the difficulties were and explaining how it was that the army was able to survive at all.

With the Army at Valley Forge, it was possible to keep the British penned up in Philadelphia and thus keep them from severing the colonies, north and south. From a strategic standpoint, the hardships endured by the Army were justified, for the colonies remained united. The British were eventually obliged to evacuate Philadelphia without obtaining any military objective, while the American troops, being trained, tempered and welded into an efficient force that made eventual victory possible.

Mr. Wildes writes vividly of the privations, the jealousies, the blindness and the comedy of the period from the disastrous Battle of Brandywine to the reoccupation of Philadelphia. Although the story is told with interesting detail, it departs seldom from the commonly known and accepted version. The author, however, does not subscribe to the old story that the German farmers were generally disloyal and let the soldiers of Valley Forge starve to make a profit smuggling food to the British.

ROSS O'DONOGHUE.

Two Men of Music

By Prentiss Taylor

DAVID MANNES' autobiography and "Toscanini and Great Music" have music as a religion in common. Beyond that they are widely divergent. The former is the life of a man whose religion is music. The latter is a paean to a man who has become a religion.

But the apotheosis must be embarrassing to one of Toscanini's integrity and essential humility, though he may well enjoy the advantages it gives him for musical demonstration. Stripped of exaltation, Toscanini's aim is that of the good, the dedicated, craftsman. He is trying to do the job as perfectly as he can and that is an attitude of service.

Service, but with a closer human quality, has also been the life of David Mannes and he tells of this faith in a heartwarming and unassuming way. This life was written primarily for his children, and its intimacy reflects the warm family affection in the German-Jewish life from which Mannes came. Sentiment is one of the strong voices in this book and it is one of Mr. Mannes' most valuable traits.

His own struggles, mostly within himself and arising from a sense of his own artistic inadequacy, gave him the determination toward music as a profession, an over-crowded field, but was to provide decent musical backgrounds for those who found a release in music. In Mr. Mannes' own words, "I would discourage mediocre professional teaching music as a means to spiritual enlightenment." The Settlement School in Rivington Street

was the first of several phases of this decent musical education for tenement children.

Mr. Mannes offers many vignettes of musical figures of the past 50 years. Of special interest are those of the Damrosch family which was responsible for a great part of our national musical awakening. The book is rare in its lack of ego, and touching in its faith in music and in people.

ON THE FIRST page of a preface, Mr. Gilman calls Toscanini "the priest of music" and that is only the beginning. Seldom has a book been so studied with ecstatic exclamation points. Mr. Toscanini, I dare say, is all that Lawrence Gilman claims for him, but Mr. Gilman's determination to be titanic leaves a slight mortal doubt. Though you may know the Rocky mountains are huge it is also true that the use of extravagant words will not necessarily make that fact convincing to others. Much informative material concerning the composers and their works is developed in relation to

Toscanini's interpretations. I know that in our times no one has heard Haydn, Beethoven, Schubert, Brahms, Debussy, Sibelius and Wagner who has not heard them conducted by Toscanini with his genius for approaching every work "as though for the first time." Mr. Gilman manages too few variations on this theme in spite, and repeats it so often that it becomes in the end unconvincing.

His appreciation of intellectual, spiritual and mystic themes in musical composition is in welcome contrast to conjectures that are so popular as program notes. As a revelation of the spiritual nuances of great music, and as a determination to glory in titans, this book will thrill and instruct many music lovers. I only wish Mr. Gilman had carried more ballast. However, Toscanini is still on earth.

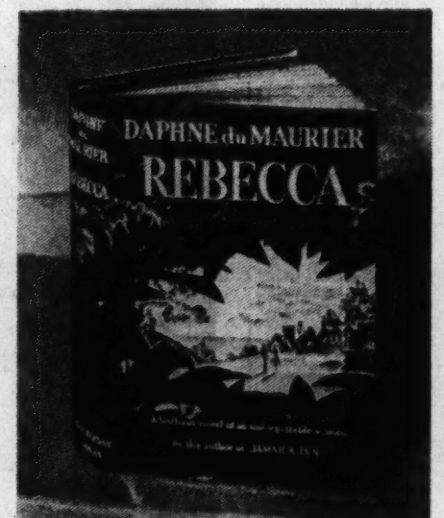
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Duce Orders 20% Increase In Arms Budget

\$370,000,000 Year's Total; Backing of Colony Claims Seen

Rome, Dec. 8.—Premier Mussolini today ordered a 20 per cent increase in Italy's arms budget, and it was predicted that soon he would give his official backing to Italian demands for French territories.

The additional defense appropriations of 1,224,723,000 lire (\$64,451,047) under the 1938-1939 budget as ordered by Mussolini in his posts of minister of war, navy and aviation bring Italy's arms expenditures for the year to 7,023,857,246 lire (nearly \$370,000,000). This is an all-time high for Italy's defense budget.

This enormous arms outlay represents roughly 28 per cent of the total Government expenses for the budget year.

Two-Thirds for Navy

Almost two-thirds of the additional appropriations, or 860,553,000 lire, goes to the navy for the purchase and construction of ships. The army obtained 205,000,000 lire and the air force 150,000,000 lire.

Naval experts said Italy was now building four 35,000-ton battleships, rebuilding two heavy cruisers as well as building 12 light cruisers, 12 torpedo boats and between 20 and 30 new submarines.

Of the army appropriation, 100,000,000 lire, or almost half, will be spent for the purchase of tanks and 50,000,000 lire for covering the expenses incurred by Italy's partial mobilization at the time of the Czechoslovak crisis. Of the air ministry's added funds about two-thirds will be spent for fuel.

Gayda Backs Claims

Virginia Gayda, editor of the Giornale d'Italia, Mussolini's mouthpiece, said Italy's Mediterranean aspirations were "just and essential to Italy's life" and soon would be officially proclaimed.

Germany will give "comprehension and solidarity" to these aspirations, Gayda said in denying reports the German ambassador to Rome had called upon Foreign Minister Count Galeazzo Ciano and urged him to "tone down" the anti-French campaign.

Fascists believed II Duce was moving seriously toward announcement of his revisionist demands and many predicted the actual crisis would come in the spring of 1939.

Mussolini, it was said, probably will try to persuade British Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain within the latter arrives in Rome a month hence to bring pressure on France for pacific concessions "in the interest of peace."

Townsend Backs Lodge Pension Plan

Dr. Francis E. Townsend, founder of the old-age pension movement bearing his name, made an overture yesterday to Senator Lodge (Republican), of Massachusetts, sending word to him that, with qualifications, he accepted the Lodge suggestion of \$50-a-month pensions for old people.

The declaration represented a certain modification in the program of Dr. Townsend, whose original proposition was \$200 a month for each aged person, provided the money were all spent within the month.

Senator Lodge gave out the suggestion a fortnight ago that he would like to see \$50-a-month payments, the Federal Government to put up \$40 and the States \$20. Other Massachusetts Republicans have shown a kindred sympathy toward extension of the social security act.

A. D. Smith's Rites Today

Funeral services for Alfred D. Smith, 64, attorney who died Tuesday, will be held at 2 p. m. today at 1326 Ingraham street northwest, instead of yesterday as previously reported by The Post. The Post regrets the error.



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Police Clash With Italians



While fresh demonstrations by Italians swept Tunis yesterday, concern spread in France over unconfirmed reports of Italian troops in Spain being concentrated below the French border (arrow)

40,000 Italians Massed at Foot Of Pyrenees Stir French Fears

Paris, Dec. 8.—French authorities tonight nervously watched the massing of more than 40,000 Italian troops with artillery and whippet tanks just across the Spanish frontier, supposedly for a new insurgent offensive against loyalist Catalonia.

Although a drive upon Barcelona, capital of government Spain, was indicated, the French government was apprehensive over the concentration near the unfortified Pyrenees, in view of acute Italo-French relations.

In Paris, meanwhile, there were more anti-Italian demonstrations, despite the government's appeal for "sang froid," and similar manifestations occurred on the French Riviera.

At the Riviera town of Beau Soleil, near Monte Carlo, Corsican residents paraded toward the Italian consulate singing the French national anthem. They were dispersed by police before reaching the consulate.

In the Latin quarter of Paris 6,000 noisy students staged a burlesque political demonstration answering the Italian demands of "Corsica! Tunis! Nice! with cries for France's annexation of Venice and Vesuvius. "Corsica is French! We want Venice! We want Vesuvius!" they cried.

Police broke up the demonstration.

German Jews Frame Appeal To Roosevelt

Seek Sanctuary in U. S. And Britain as Nazis Plan Stricter Laws

Berlin, Dec. 8.—Jewish leaders were understood to be framing a "last hour" appeal to President Roosevelt and British Prime Minister Chamberlain for at least temporary sanctuary today as diplomatic quarters heard new Nazi anti-Jewish measures were planned.

It was said the next legislation would order the dissolution of marriages between Jews and non-Jews or the gentile partner would be declared Jewish.

The offspring of such marriages now are classed as of "mixed blood." It was not learned what the status of these children would be under the reported pending decree.

Stricter Law Planned

It was also reported that a law uniting anti-Semitic measures and closing any loopholes was being planned for the end of December.

Such a law, it was said, would introduce three new phases in the anti-Jewish campaign:

A distinguishing mark for Jews, possibly a yellow armband.

A ban on the use by Jews of public vehicles, except by special police permit.

The erection of a number of compulsory labor camps for homeless and jobless Jews. These would be placed in various parts of the country, it was said, near quarries, brick-making plants and the like, where there is heavy work to be done.

Couldn't Attend Church

Under the reported marriage decree, the non-Jewish wife of a Jew would become Jewish from the moment she declared herself unwilling to accept divorce and would not be allowed to attend Christian church services, diplomatic sources heard.

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'Maybe It Was Despair,' Says Papa Grynszpan, Refugee From Reich, of Son's Tragic Shot

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Posen, Poland, Dec. 8.—David Grynszpan, a bent and bearded man whose head is decked with gray and whose voice answers with despair, put his arm around the shoulders of his wife today and shook his head.

"I don't know how Herschel could ever have done such a thing," he said, referring to his 17-year-old son who sits in a prison cell in Paris awaiting trial for the assassination of a German diplomat, Ernst vom Rath, a month ago, which precipitated the most violent Nazi wave of anti-Semitism.

David Grynszpan, who appears to be about 55, pulled a tattered bathrobe closer around his shoulders against a raw December wind. He doesn't own an overcoat.

Live in Tents at Frontier

The Grynszpans and other Polish Jew refugees from Germany live in crude tents in the fields or in abandoned buildings along the Polish-German frontier. Their existence is pitiful.

Papa Grynszpan had just come from working in a field when I found him with his wife, his 21-year-old daughter and 19-year-old son. He didn't want to talk until he had carefully examined my credentials and was convinced that I was a bona fide American newspaperman.

"Herschel always was a quiet, normal boy who loved his brother and sister very much," the father said. "He always was very thrifty and used to get around. That was why he left Germany."

"Oh, why did he do it? Maybe it was despair."

The son and daughter, whose olive complexions and brown eyes gave them a striking resemblance to Herschel, nodded assent.

Heard Parents Were Expelled

"Maybe it was despair because he received a letter from us saying we were being expelled from Germany."

My wife and children were treated very roughly when we were expelled from our home in Hanover. I personally was badly beaten by a Gestapo agent."

I asked the father whether it was true that Herschel had entered France illegally.

"You can deny such reports categorically," he said. "Herschel had a Belgian visa and went from there to France in a legal manner."

Then, answering Nazi accusations that the slaying of vom Rath was a "Jewish plot" and that young Grynszpan was only the dupe, the father said the lad never had taken any part in politics.

"The only organization he never joined was the Jewish Mizrachi," he said.

Old Enough to Behead

He said his imprisoned son would be 18 next March—old enough to go to the guillotine for his crime.

"In 1935 he went to the Yeshiva School at Frankfurt am Main to take an agricultural course preparatory to emigrating to Palestine," the father continued.

"Three months later the trouble in Palestine nullified our hopes of sending him there and after a short visit with relatives in Essen, he went to Belgium with a visa I was able to obtain for him."

"My brother, in the clothing busi-



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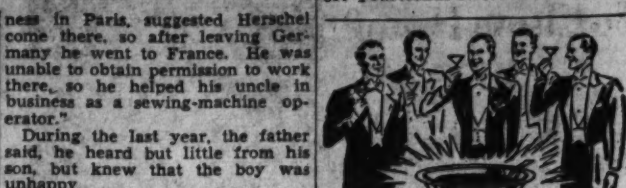
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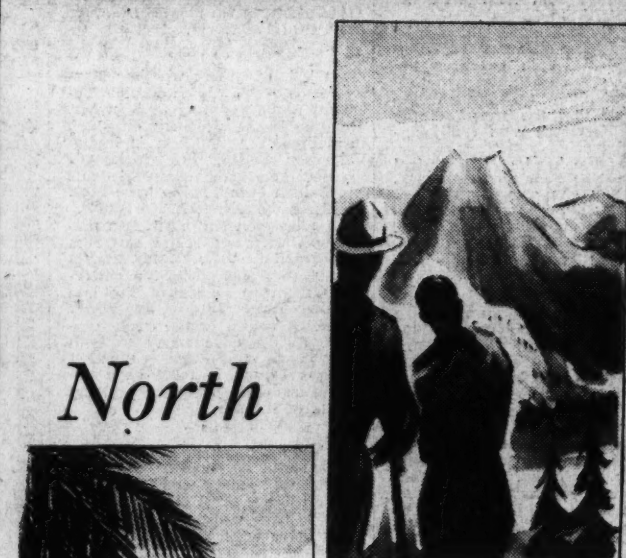
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U. S. Summons Ambassador To China Home

State

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large part of the world before arriving here in mid-January. From Chungking, temporary capital of the Chinese government, he will travel by motorcar over a new route to Burma, will fly from Rangoon to London, then proceed to America by boat.

The round-about route appears to be the most convenient way at present, it was explained by Sumner Welles, Acting Secretary of State.

Welles, announcing Johnson had been summoned home, said the envoy had not been in this country for almost four years, and that it seemed desirable he should have the opportunity of returning and giving the President and State Department his views in personal conversation. He made it clear, however, that Johnson had been instructed to come home, instead of the trip being made at the ambassador's request. He said Johnson would be away from his post only a short time. In response to questions, he said Johnson would not undertake any conversations in London on his way here.

Grew to Stay in Japan

The acting Secretary repeated that there are no present plans for the Ambassador to Japan, Joseph C. Grew, to return here.

Both Grew and Sir Robert Craigie, the British envoy, were summoned separately yesterday by Foreign Minister Hachiro Arita, and were reported to have been given further evidence of Japan's intention to curtail activities of other foreign powers in China.

On October 6 the United States presented a strongly worded protest against Japanese repressive measures designed to close the "open door" in China, long maintained and guaranteed by the Nine-Power Treaty, to which Japan herself is a signatory. Foreign office circles have repeatedly indicated since that time that Japan takes the attitude the treaty is obsolete and Tokyo herself will fix the terms under which foreigners may do business in China.

One of the questions which Ambassador Johnson is expected to discuss here is how long Gen. Chiang, generalissimo of the Chinese armies, can hold out against the Japanese troops. The ability of the Chinese forces to obtain foreign munitions, the supply of which has been seriously curtailed at times by Japanese successes, is expected to play an increasingly important part in answering the question.

Japan 'Conciliatory'

Tokyo, Dec. 8 (AP).—Foreign Minister Hachiro Arita in conversations today with United States Ambassador Joseph C. Grew and British Ambassador Sir Robert Craigie, announced the Japanese government's economic bloc of Japan, China and Manchukuo is the dominating factor in the present situation in East Asia, a reliable informant told the United Press.

The foreign minister indicated that Japan does not intend now to denounce formally the Nine-Power Treaty, but prefers that the denunciation of the treaty be made at an appropriate time by the new "central Chinese government," being organized with the assistance of Japan.

The tone of the foreign minister's remarks, especially to Ambassador Grew, was described as "extremely conciliatory." Japan's attitude was said to have been expressed to Grew along these lines:

Japan intends to respect American rights in China so long as the American position does not menace the formal bloc of the Japan-China-Manchukuo economic bloc. Japan desires to adjust pending problems with the United States and other third powers by means of "national statements" instead of diplomatic notes, which must be written for public consumption. Japan's determination to create the economic bloc was justified by the theory of "national necessity." Arita pointed out that Britain already has such a bloc in the British Empire and that the United States has a dominant economic position among the American nations, and is attempting to consolidate her position at the present Pan-American conference in Lima.

Four Addresses Here Will Open Pan-America Talks

Four keynote addresses touching on Fascist penetration in the Western Hemisphere and the need for co-operation among the American nations will open the Conference on Pan-American Democracy tomorrow afternoon at the Washington Hotel. They will be given by Bishop Francis J. McGovern of New York; David Efron, of Sarah Lawrence College; Col. R. L. Calder, Canadian attorney, and James Waterman Wise, author and lecturer.

10 U. S. Students In Rome Ordained

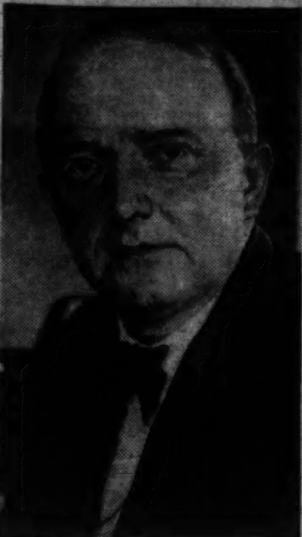
Rome, Dec. 8 (AP).—Ten students from the United States were ordained to the priesthood today by Bishop Ralph Hayes, rector of the American College at Rome.

They were Paul Keeshan, Albany, N. Y.; John Mueller, Green Bay, Wis.; Armas Cry, Portland, Me.; Edward Catich, Davenport, Iowa; Emmett Murphy, Rochester, N. Y.; John Connolly, San Francisco; Robert Goodill, Erie, Pa.; Anthony Brouwers and William Trower, of Los Angeles, and James Clark, Scranton, Pa.

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Consular Aide Of Italy Held In Tunisia Riot

Tunis

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An Arab day of prayer. It was feared the native population might rise in violent demonstrations against Italians.

Appeals came from both Italian and French sides for an end to rioting. The Fascist newspaper *Unione* called upon the Italian colony to remain "calm and strong," but accused the French and Arab populace of provocation.

The governor general of Algeria, central link in France's North African possessions, left Algiers for Paris to confer with government officials. He is Georges Le Beau.

Erik Labonne, recently transferred from the post of ambassador to government Spain to be governor general of Tunisia, remained close to his job in Tunis, maintaining contact with Italian consular officials in connection with both French and Italian demonstrations. Labonne was understood to have warned that French police would tolerate no public disturbances and would protect Italian residents, a minority. There are 94,000 Italians and 108,000 French in Tunisia, excluding the army of occupation.

Italian residents were reported to have warned that they would draw up a self-defense corps if the anti-Italian disorders continued, but French officials denied this.

Antenna Ring

The strains of the French "Marseillaise" and the Fascist "Giovinezza" sounded through Tunis streets.

The fresh wave of demonstrations was unleashed by the march of 1,000 French and Arab railroad workers last night on the Italian consulate-general, a white building which they splashed with red and blue ink to represent the French colors. (French Resident General Erik Labonne announced today through a spokesman that he had conveyed regrets over the ink-throwing attack on the Italian consulate and the incident now is considered closed," the United Press said.)

Italian Youth Parade

This ink-splashing protest against agitation launched November 30 in the Chamber of Deputies in Rome when deputies cried "Tunisia Tunisia" after an address in which Count Galeazzo Ciano, foreign minister, referred to Italy's "aspirations," brought a reply this morning from Italian students in Tunis. Linking their arms, a crowd of youths paraded through the Tunisian capital, singing and chanting.

French and Arabs renewed their own demonstrations, massing near the Italian consulate general, where they were kept back by strong mounted police forces. All Italian business houses as well as the consulate-general were placed under heavy day and night guard and the French administration turned out an imposing display of strength.

Hose guards and police patrolled the streets; troops were confined to their barracks, and mobile guards were called in from Algeria. Almost as fast the police quelled one demonstration, another would break out, but despite their number officials said all were broken up easily with comparatively few arrests. They said there were no major incidents and that broken windows were the main result of the disorders.

What further military precautions the French might be taking remained a secret. (France's army of occupation in Tunisia contains 25,000 men.)

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Peace Concerns All Americas, Hull Warns

Hull

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International law, Hull said, is included in the agenda of the conference and "will receive the study and attention its importance warrants."

"The contribution the American republics may be able to make toward the strengthening of international law and toward realizing it as an effective force in international relations will be a constructive factor in world situations."

The American statesman said he was confident the conference would work to continue the unanimity of friendship and frankness which has marked inter-American relationships in recent years. The parley, he said, furnishes renewed opportunity "for friendly consultations on questions of common concern and for a fast give-and-take in reaching solutions based on the general principle of national interests well served when the common good is cared for and for broadening the foundations of international relations."

After sketching the rise of the Peruvian nation with the observation that there are "fundamental similarities in the motives which prompted the struggle for independence on the part of all peoples of the Western Hemisphere," Hull paid tribute to the government of President Oscar Benavides for its internal policy.

"It is a source of satisfaction to me," he said, "to note that the commercial interchange between Peru and the United States is mutually profitable and that the United States purchases a substantial amount of Peru's exports and supplies a substantial proportion of the imports into this country."

Seek Wartime Parleys

By Leland Stowe.

Special Cable to The Post. Lima, Dec. 8.—Establishment of some kind of machinery for consultation between the 21 American governments in the event of war threats will be one of the principal endeavors of the eighth Pan-American Conference when it is opened.

Today American-Argentine conversations centered upon efforts to reach a common formula for such consultative machinery. The principle of such consultation was adopted by the Buenos Aires conference in 1934. At that time, Argentina refused to accept Washington's proposal that the foreign ministers of all American states constitute a permanent committee for consultation.

The Argentina delegation has prepared a project for periodic consultations between American governments for presentation at this conference and the United States delegation has been hopeful that this change of policy would permit the conclusion of a new consultative agreement.

Any idea of the creation of an all-American "hemispheric defense pact" at this meeting has been ruled out at the start by opposition of the Argentine government.

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Taylor, Glass Agree to Big Arms Outlay

Defense

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unless the budget estimates are reduced." He said he is still "an unreconstructed rebel" when it comes to spending other people's money.

In discussing the defense program, the Virginian indicated he considers the Navy rather than the Army the first line of defense as "they can't fight us if they can't get us."

Senator Byrnes on the other hand pointed to the present Navy expansion program and said that in his opinion improvements and new equipment for the Army Air Corps is the chief need. Byrnes said he believes little reliance can be placed in treaties in view of recent

world events. As "this country is the greatest prize of all," he said America should turn attention to defense of its coast lines.

On the general budget issue, Byrnes said he believes improving business conditions may enable Congress to scale down appropriations. He voiced the conviction that any relief bill enacted by Congress will carry a restriction prohibiting political use of relief funds.

Representative Taylor echoed Byrnes' statement that "we cannot rely at all on treaties of peace."

"Until the world sees we are prepared to fight, we will not be safe, regardless of treaties," said the House Appropriations chairman. "We have got to learn to paddle our own canoe, and if we are prepared for war they will leave us alone."

Reiterating there will be no

"skipping," Taylor said he anticipated no "trouble" in pushing an adequate defense program through the House. He said he is primarily concerned with aerial defenses, as "the next war will be fought in the air, and many of our seacoast towns are now vulnerable."

On the Republican side of the Senate, Senator William E. Borah declared more money should be spent for aerial defense, whether Army or Navy, than on battleships, which he said are primarily for "offense, not defense."

Earlier, Senator Norris (Independent Republican), of Nebraska, voiced reluctant approval of increased military preparations as a "matter of compulsion." He said this country should not be left in a position where "these crazy desperadoes will some day attack us."



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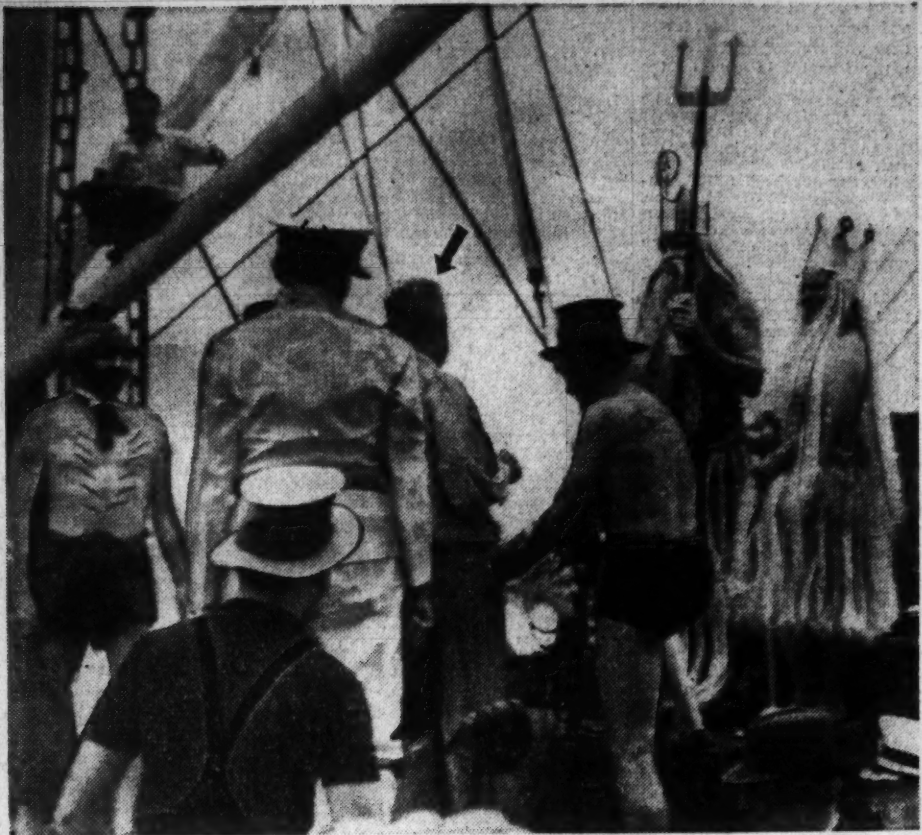
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Landon in Father Neptune's Court—U. S. Seizes Whale Cargo

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Landon Haled Before Neptune's Court

Charged with "high crimes and misdemeanors, including Republicanism and political aberrations," Alf M. Landon (arrow) was brought before Neptune, impersonated by E. P. Thomas, of the Foreign Trade Council, as the S. S. Santa Clara bearing delegates to the Pan-American Conference at Lima crossed the equator.



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One Will Rule

Selected from among 2,000 co-eds of Pasadena junior colleges, one of these girls will rule as queen of the Tournament of Roses January 2. The others will be princesses. They are (left to right, top) Gladys Hadley, Barbara Dougall; (center) Roberta Scott, Bernice Mongreig, Peggy Ingham; (bottom) Eleanore Wennerberg, Peggy Lou Anderson.



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Whale of a Cargo

This is the American whaler S. S. Frango (upper), docked in Hudson River after her cargo of 1,000 tons of whale oil was confiscated on complaint of a Coast Guardsman that the crew had illegally slaughtered 90 baby whales off Australia. Carcasses are shown (center) being cut up on deck, and a member of the crew begins cutting up a small white whale (lower).

Post Staff Photo.

New District Tag

At left—Alta Roos, traffic department clerk, holds the new 1939 auto license of R. B. Keech, P. U. C. vice chairman, while Traffic Director Van Duzer points out the expiration date, which is February 29, 1940.



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The Police Step In

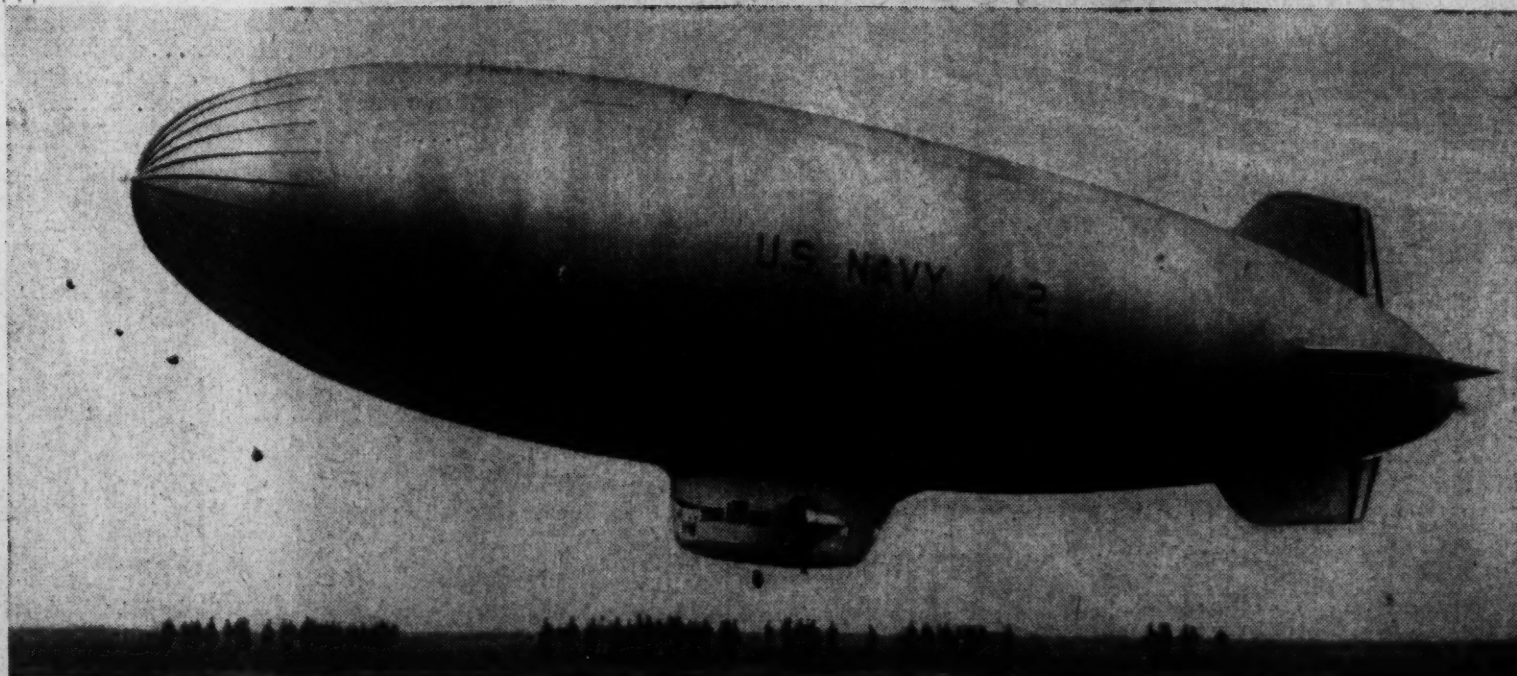
Police with nightsticks ready force their way between Chicago Newspaper Guild members and truck drivers to stop a fight in front of the Hearst Building where Guild members are striking against two papers. The melee started as drivers pulled up to load papers.



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President Receives His Christmas Seals

A souvenir sheet of Christmas seals of the National Tuberculosis Association was presented to the President yesterday as an addition to his stamp collection. Shown (from left) are Dr. J. G. Townsend, association head; Mrs. E. R. Grant, managing director; Dr. Thomas Parran, surgeon general.



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Navy's Non-Rigid Dirigible Begins Maiden Voyage

The non-rigid dirigible K-2, 246 feet long, was launched at Akron, Ohio, yesterday for the Navy and is shown as she started her maiden voyage. The craft, carrying a crew of seven, will be stationed at the Naval Air Station at Lakehurst, N. J.

Ickes Denies Nebraska Case Is 'PWA Baby'

Has No Part in Utility \$90,000,000 Sale; Raps Back at Bridges

By the Associated Press.

Secretary Ickes, Public Works Administrator, said yesterday the purchase of Nebraska's privately owned utilities by PWA-financed public power districts was "not our baby."

The Secretary commented at his press conference on a recent assertion by Senator Bridges (Republican), New Hampshire, that PWA had approved a transaction involving issuance of \$90,000,000 in bonds by the power districts and that Guy C. Myers, fiscal agent for the districts, would receive a \$2,250,000 fee. Bridges suggested a Congressional investigation.

Ickes said the PWA's sole interest was to safeguard Government bonds which secure loans made to the districts. This, he said, was effected by a change in bond indenture which he approved last Friday.

"Won't Cost FWA a Cent"

The reasonableness of the price and the terms are within the cognizance of the districts," he added.

"It won't cost the PWA a cent."

The central Nebraska public power and irrigation district is about to start generating power that has to be sold," the Secretary said.

"The district had the choice of building competing lines or buying out the private utilities. They decided to buy out the utilities."

"This is not a matter that concerns the PWA at all. The power authority set up by State statute carried out the negotiations and made the purchase contract for \$20,000,000 with the Iowa-Nebraska Light & Power Co."

"Apparently Bridges, who has been the active Senate representative of the utilities, thinks they should have driven the utilities out of business."

Did Not Approve Bonds

Ickes emphasized that he had not approved the proposed \$90,000,000 bond issue.

Asked if Myers or anyone else would make \$2,250,000 out of the deal, he replied:

"I don't know anything about it. I suppose the usual financing charges will be paid. That doesn't involve us."

K. of C. Council Plans Silver Spring Yule Fete

The Christmas toy and food campaign of the Forest Glen Council, Knights of Columbus, will close with an entertainment and dance December 23 at St. Michael's School, Silver Spring.

A new toy or an article of non-perishable food will be the price of admission. The entertainment will feature Miss Jeanne Tyser, Dement Bonifant and members of the Marion Venable School of Dance.

Eden Visit Seen as Check-up On Reaction to British Policy

Anglo-French Loan To China Is Also on Discussion Agenda

By Frederick Kuh.

Copyright, 1938, by the United Press. New York, Dec. 8.—Capt. Anthony Eden, former British secretary for foreign affairs, will arrive here tomorrow ostensibly on a private visit—but actually to sound out American political reactions toward British policy in Europe.

This information was given a quasi-official complexion by statements of Lord Halifax, the present foreign secretary, to the House of Lords that Capt. Eden was coming to America "with the fullest assent and approbation of the government."

Halifax compared his predecessor's visit to that of Viscount Runciman in 1935, in which the ground-work for the recently completed Anglo-American trade pact was understood to have been laid.

The Captain's Agenda

These matters seemed to be on Capt. Eden's agenda:

An unofficial mission designed to thaw America's post-Munich coolness toward the government of Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain.

The sounding out of President Roosevelt and others on the participation of the United States in an Anglo-French loan to China.

An effort to get the assurance of the American Government that Mr. Roosevelt's "hemisphere defense" policy will not militate against British interests in Latin America.

Capt. Eden will remain here until a week from tomorrow.

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CAPT. ANTHONY EDEN

progressive wing of the Conservative Party in Britain, and free of cabinet responsibility—which he threw off voluntarily when he broke with Chamberlain on the question of "dealing with dictators" early this year—he will have greater latitude in discussing major international issues than an accredited diplomat.

The absence of the British Ambassador to Washington, Sir Ronald Lindsay, who is on a holiday in England, may apply Capt. Eden in the role of an "unofficial ambassador."

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Fair Enough

By Westbrook Pegler

A French Lesson
MANY AMERICANS calling themselves progressives profess to be shocked by M. Daladier's use of his powers in France and perceive there the beginning of a Fascist regime.

The politics of France are so very complex that it is difficult to know what it is all about, but from this distance it does appear that, under the pretext of a national emergency, one man has acquired more authority than a democracy may prudently confer.

Had he used this power to promote communism those Americans who claim to be merely progressives, not Communists, but cannot be induced to say one word against "the greatest experiment for human betterment ever made," would have been pleased. For, obviously, they could not be displeased to see France so unhesitatingly undertake the same great experiment, nor could they pretend to be displeased if the Russian experiment should one day be tried here.

BUT WHEN a trusted man uses his powers to try the wrong kind of experiment, that is indeed, alarming and should be a lesson to us all, including those who euphemistically call themselves merely progressives.

The developments in France would seem to rebuke the enthusiastic faith expressed by even progressives in proposals to enlarge and solidify the powers of the American Executive. Other Americans who have opposed such proposals have been intemperately denounced as Fascists, but the arguments do not foot up.

No Fascists believe in Parliament or in independent courts, and no belief in democracy would want to hand over to any individual all the power and responsibility of government and abolish the function of Congress by electing picked men pledged to do the bidding of the leaders' messengers.

IT MUST BE a very trying life, that of the progressive who shudders at the misuse of authority which has been trustingly conferred but still feels compelled to admire the rule of Josef Stalin, who abhors the use of military force to put down a national strike as a menace to the safety of the state but finds no fault with a rule under which no man is allowed to strike or even speak out of turn.

But possibly it will be said that it is all right to confer great powers if you know your man; that it is all right to do it here but not in France, and that dictatorship is the only way to keep it all anti-capitalist. That does not seem to be the position of those so-called progressives who are otherwise known as "fellow travelers of the Communists."

But in demanding such powers for Mr. Roosevelt it is possible that they have misjudged their man and that, given such powers and conditions similar to those which occurred in France, he, too, would disappoint them.

THERE NEVER have been any proletarian Roosevelt, nor have any of the Roosevelts ever gone to the public schools, and it was John L. Lewis himself who once accused the President of having carried impartially both labor and its enemies. This Mr. Lewis interpreted as a rather special case on labor.

The show-down between labor leaders—not labor—and public authority in this country have been mere bullen exercises to date, and with luck the Nation as a whole will never have to engage in "various competition of this kind. But there is no assurance in Mr. Roosevelt's record that, in the event of such a show-down, he would use the authority which the fellow travelers have bespoken for him in a manner to gratify those who admire the Soviet experiment. They may be thinking of a future President who could be relied on, but that is highly speculative. The next President might be a man who, given such powers and such a crisis, would do as Daladier has done.

All this being so and the risks being what they are, the people are the best guardians of their own power. And those who opposed the court plan, reorganization, the purge and the political use of public money may inquire, with a nod to France, "How am I doing?"

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Off the Record

By Ed Reed



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Fall Of Little Entente Clears Dictators' Path

Keystone of Central Europe for 18 Years Is Destroyed; Danube-Balkan Area Now Exposed to Power Politics

By Leland Stowe.

WHEN THE "BIG FOUR" partitioned Czechoslovakia at Munich, they also destroyed what had been the diplomatic keystone of all Central Europe for the last 18 years. Even as the Czechs were reduced to a vassal state under Nazi Germany's domination, they were also cut off from their traditional alliance with Yugoslavia and Rumania.

The Little Entente, a combination of the three little states of the Danube Valley? What should be the highlights in the obituary of this historic alliance which once gave the governments of Prague, Belgrade and Bucharest a combined influence of exceptional power in European councils? Perhaps it is easiest to appreciate the new void in southeastern Europe by reviewing the achievements and peculiar authority of this three-cornered alliance which grew out of the 1919 peace treaties.

The Little Entente has been called "the watch dog of the status quo in Central Europe." Now that there remains neither a watch dog nor a status quo, it becomes startlingly clear how this alliance served as the cement of Europe's postwar map. That, in reality, was its raison d'être and its primary function. In 1920 and 1921 Czechoslovakia, Yugoslavia and Rumania formed the political partnership with the precise view of preventing the revision of the frontiers established by the treaties of Trianon and Neuilly. This partnership lasted as long as the frontiers remained intact. When Nazi troops marched into the Sudetenland and Czechoslovakia was annexed, politically and economically, the Little Entente ceased to exist.

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On The Record

By Dorothy Thompson

Lima

THE LIMA CONFERENCE is taking place at a time when most of the world is in a state of jitter. Since the last meeting in Buenos Aires, history has moved with exceeding swiftness. The German-Italian-Japanese axis has proved to South America to be more than a name. The pact of Munich has upset the post-war European structure. The League of Nations no longer even pretends to be a system of collective security and eight of the South American republics that belonged to it have withdrawn.

The future of France, internally and externally, is not clear. The outcome in Spain is undecided, but whatever it may be, a new treaty is certain to have an effect in Mexico to the detriment of Spanish civilization in South America.

The general disorder and uncertainty in the world is leading this country to look to its armaments in Mexico to the detriment of Spanish civilization in South America.

The stiffening of the North American attitude is regarded with some uneasiness by South America.

South America does not like us much, and it would be well for us to realize it. The Monroe Doctrine has too often in our past history been used to justify the guardianship of the domestic affairs of the Southern republics by us.

They are much closer to Europe than we are, especially culturally. They have been democratic in the hundred and fifty years in which we have been consistently devoted to one political philosophy, and in which neither foreign wars nor the great Civil War have disturbed the American constitutional system, the South American republics have known dictatorship, monarchy, empire, paternalism, certain forms of democracy, republicanism, and now, in a kind of socialism that is peculiarly Mexican.

The Latin-American mind is very different from the North American. It is less concerned with order and legalism. It is more dynamic.

WE ARE ANXIOUS in this moment of history to consolidate what we have achieved in this hemisphere. However variously the Monroe Doctrine may have been interpreted, its fundamental purpose was always clear—to prevent the New World from becoming a field in which the Old World could acquire colonies, from being a battleground for European political systems, and from being a base of European military or naval action.

The instinct which has made this the only consistent item of foreign policy in our whole history is the desire to preserve the idea of self-preservation. "Pan Americanism," the "good neighbor policy" are world words that indicated a willingness and desire on our part to depart from the idea of armed conquest and to establish a new basis of relationship. But they do not indicate a departure from the fundamental idea of self-preservation.

WHAT IS concerning us at present is not the threat of military intervention or conquest on this hemisphere from abroad, but is the ideological penetration of the hemisphere by the organized, financed and controlled by powerful totalitarian states. We are dealing with a form of imperialism which makes its way by and by, by armed conquest, but by fomenting movements inside all countries for the purpose of drawing those countries eventually into their ideological, economic and eventually military orbits.

The author and inventor of this new form of expansion was the Communist International, which set out to penetrate the trade unions and working class political movements in all countries and make them its stronghold for a coup d'état against the state.

THE ITALIAN and German totalitarianisms have seen and admired this invention and taken it over bodily. It was the invention of a have-not class and was taken over by have-not nations. The Fascist and Nazi governments use their own nationals in all countries as the basis for their foothold against the state.

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This is only a copy of the Nazi flag, which was enshrined as a symbol of the Third Reich, and which has been followed by them ever since.

WE HAVE NOT yet found a way to deal with this ideological penetration in this country, so we are hardly in a position to give advice to our South American neighbors, even if they had asked for it, or were likely to welcome or accept it.

It has gone much further in this country than people realize. The Communist ideology and organization which has penetrated some of the trade unions and even some of our Government bureaus, creates the panic that increases susceptibility to the Fascist propaganda pattern and vice versa.

MEANWHILE the South American republics are more susceptible to fascist penetration, first, because they are not supported by so old, continuous and consistent a political philosophy; second, because their cultural ties to Europe are much more profound than ours; third, because they contain large and culturally autonomous groups of German and Italian citizens. This perturbs us.

But if we try to offset this penetration by trying to make a "democratic" front, I fear we may effect the exact opposite of our intention. The South American republics are more afraid of us than they are of any European country. This would stiffen against an ideological penetration from North America more readily than against any other. For we are more powerful and more dominant in this hemisphere than any other nation, and the southern republics regard us with deep suspicion.

IF WE ARE, therefore, interested in preserving our own freedom and maintaining the independence of the Western Hemisphere, our goal should be to depend upon democratic or North American propaganda for it.

Our bulwark lies in strengthening the nationalism of the southern republics. The fact that the United States is a dictatorship does not mean that he will not resist an attempt on the part of the German colonists to organize his dictatorship according to a Nazi model. Our goal should be to depend upon democratic or North American propaganda for it.

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Two Destroyers Slide Into James: Cost \$9,250,000

Newport News, Va., Dec. 8 (AP)—The destroyers Mustin and Russell, the Navy's two latest additions, slid into the James River today amid the shriek of whistles at the Newport News Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Co.

The destroyers, built at a contract price of \$4,250,000 each, will be completed at construction piers, where they were towed. Among those attending the ceremonies were Representative Louis Bland, chairman of the House Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries; Rear Admiral J. K. Tausig, commander of the naval operating base at Norfolk; Capt. Henry Williams, Washington; Capt. Newton White, of the U. S. Enterprise, and Admiral M. H. Simmons, of the Norfolk Navy Yard.

Grand Jury Hears Two Texas Doctors

The grand jury investigating the struggle over group medical practice yesterday heard two physicians from Texas. The proceedings against Dr. Raymond E. Sellers, medical director of Group Health Association, Inc., recently were dropped. Testifying were Dr. Holman Taylor, Fort Worth, an official of the Texas State Medical Society, and Dr. A. T. Talley, chairman of the board of directors of the Harris County Medical Society.

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Books And Things

By Lewis Gannett

Sing-A-Song Book

THE TRICK BOOK of the year is the "Sing-A-Song Book" (McLoughlin, \$1.25) prepared by Sam See. Musical friends tell me that the little xylophone fitted into its pages is lamentably off key; but the notation system is such that even I can rap out "London Bridge" and "Frere Jacques" on it; I found the exercise a refreshing diversion from serious reading. I suspect that almost any child between the ages of 6 and 10 will find it as diverting as "In Folk Songs of Many Lands" (Simon and Schuster, \$2.50) Hendrik Willem Van Loon and Grace Castagnetta carry on the gay collaboration begun in "The Songs We Sing". Incidentally, Mr. Van Loon has decorated and refurbished, for his growing grandchildren, his "Golden Book of Dutch Navigators" (Appleton, \$2.50), which he first wrote 20 years ago for his sons.

These are all youngish books, mainly picture books. So is Dr. Seuss' most delightfully improbable story of "The Five Hundred Hats of Bartholomew Cubbins" (Vanguard, \$1.50); so are the fresh Finnish folk stories told by Toivo David Rosvall, "The Very Stubborn Folk" (Dutton, \$1). (These last have a faint Scandinavian perfume reminiscent of "The Peterkin Papers," on which my New England father brought me up.)

For the very young, who do not yet want even to be much read to, but want to paw pictures which remind them of themselves, are Lena Towles's pictures of 4-year-olds "At the Beach" (Farrar & Rinehart, \$2) and "The New Baby" (Lippincott, \$1), in which Evelyn S. Bell and Elizabeth Farago deftly prepare a 4-year-old mind for those problems lately advertised in the news stories of the arguing school teachers as those of "mammalian reproduction." Almost as purely pictorial, but excitingly representative of an older age, is William Clayton and Helen Sloma Pryor's "Cowboy Age" (Harcourt, Brace, \$1) . . . I found Louis Politi's "Little Pancho" (Viking, 50 cents), who is assuredly not the very young, singularly appealing. Ludwig Bemelmans' "Quito Express" (Viking, \$1) has another appealing small figure in a very large hat (Mexican). I will call it, Mr. Bemelmans says it is Ecuadorian.

HERE IT IS, the end of a day and the end of a column, and I'm hardly through more than the picture books. I'm assured on excellent authority that Elizabeth Janet Gray's "Penn" (Viking, \$2.50) and Jeanette Eaton's "Leader of Destiny" (Harcourt, \$3), a "young biography" of Washington, and older books I should not miss, and I'd add Clyde Brion Davis' "Northward Wildcat" (Farrar & Rinehart, \$2) with a glow of hope that it would turn out equal to his grown-up books. It's too late in the day, and in the column, to tell.

BURRO ALLEY is off the main tourist tracks in a nameless New Mexican city in Edwin Corle's "Burro Alley" (Random House, \$2.50). Nameless in the book; but the city is on Highway 66, north of Albuquerque, and south of Taos; and the Santa Fe Chamber of Commerce will have no difficulty in waxing indignant about Mr. Corle's story. For this town is not as the Santa Fe of the tourist folders.

Mr. Corle is the youngish author of "Mohave" and of "People on the Earth," two books of rare distinction, the latter a Navajo story as fine as the Pulitzer-prize winning "Laughing Boy." "Burro Alley" is another vein. Mr. Corle has come out of the desert and off the reservations, and he does not like what he sees. He doesn't like the people who live off them. The publisher compares his book to John Steinbeck's "Tortilla Flat"; but if the Mexicans of Mr. Corle's story are as shiftless as Mr. Steinbeck's paisanos, they are more calculating; you do not love them. The sunshine is warmer in Monterey than in the rarefied air of Santa Fe.

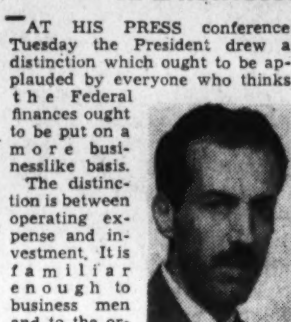
Meet them, Amador Vilij, gigolo to Mrs. Tulsa, an inebriated lady who has had the fortune to marry a waffle-loving Osego oil millionaire from Oklahoma; meet Amador's cousin Floriano, a less successful racketeer who lives mostly in the gutter, for the price of a drink. Meet the raffish of Porfirio Baca's bar, down Burro Alley, including one worried murderer; meet the two tourists at La Paloma Hotel; greet the maids and chauffeurs of Santa Fe who, after hours assemble for the dance competition in Tex House's Stone Chimney, two miles out of town. Meet them all, and out of fragments of their lives piece together the mosaic that is Santa Fe.

It is a deft and witty book, with chuckles on almost every page. I sometimes suspected that Mr. Corle intended, in the busy conversations between John Lackland, a perpetually Yale man upset by too much reading of Sir James Jeans and Mike Ferguson, the only unemployed actor in the entire state of Mexico, to suggest some cosmic philosophy which would link this diverse cast of characters into a symbolic drama. If so, I missed the point, but I enjoyed the hilarious pointlessness of this tumbled segment of humanity.

Federal Finances

By Ernest K. Lindley

A Businesslike Revision



LINDLEY

AT HIS PRESS conference Tuesday the President drew a distinction which ought to be applauded by everyone who thinks the Federal Government ought to be put on a more businesslike basis.

The distinction is between operating expense and investment. It is a familiar one. A farmer does not regard the cost of his farm and equipment as an operating expense. It is a capital expenditure or investment. Ordinarily he expects to spread the cost of equipment over several years of operation. If he has borrowed the money to buy his farm, he may expect to pay it back over a longer period of years—or he may carry the debt indefinitely, charging only the interest to his current operation.

THE ALARM which many business men and farmers, and others, feel about the Federal deficits is the largely unacknowledged distinction between current expenditures and investments. And for that the Treasury and its book-keeping methods are chiefly to blame. As a rule the Treasury treats every dollar that goes out of current operating expense.

Yet many of the expenditures of the Federal Government are, in fact, investments. Some of them are outright loans to business men and farmers, or to local and State governments. Some are investments in new revenue-producing properties such as Boulder Dam. In the case of Boulder Dam, the income from the sale of electric power is expected eventually to repay the whole cost. In the case of the Tennessee River dams, part of the cost will be repaid by sale of power and the rest is charged to navigation and flood control.

If the Treasury kept its books the way the ordinary private busi-

nessman or farmer does, neither the money which it loans nor the money which is invested in self-liquidating Federally owned projects would be charged to current operating expenses. If those outlays had not been charged up to current operating expense, the aggregate Treasury deficit of the last years would have been smaller by several billion dollars than it had been made to appear.

THERE HAVE BEEN, in addition, large expenditures on public projects which are not self-liquidating in the usual sense but which have increased the national wealth and make possible a larger national income in the future. A new highway or a new bridge is no less valuable because it is paid for by taxes instead of by tolls. Money put into the planting of trees on eroding land not only conserves the soil but will come back, wholly or in part, as the tree crop is harvested.

Part of the Federal money put into improving the physical plant of the Nation can properly be regarded as investment. It is money that can be expected to yield a return in the form of increased national income and, therefore, of greater tax revenues. A good share of it would be put down to capital expenditure instead of to operating expense if the Federal Government adopted the usual business practice. Under the heading of operating expense would appear only the interest charges on the investment and annual allowance for depreciation or amortization.

THE COST of rearmament should be charged to current operating expense for the reason given by the President. It does not add to the productive wealth of the Nation. For the same reason conservative bookkeeping would put in the same class the full cost of certain other public works. Current operating expenses would include, of course, old-age pensions, benefit payments to farmers, and all other expenditures which in ordinary business practice would not be regarded as capital expenditures.

The President's comments do not preclude an immediate re-amping of Treasury bookkeeping. The Treasury is set in its ways. But they are encouraging signs that the Administration is coming to recognize the value of introducing more businesslike methods into the management of the Federal finances.

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The Once Over

By H. I. Phillips

The Radio Quiz

Q. What is the difference, Mr. Bartholomew, between an igloo, an elcar and an escrow?

A. Would you mind giving me that again?

Q. Correctly! It's your turn, Miss Pitman. Was Rasputin a composer, a ski jumper, a Hollywood director or a monk?

A. Are you speaking of Gus Rasputin or Joe?

Q. You can't be anywhere with that way, Miss Pitman. Mr. Fooble, you're next. Where are emirs found?

A. I don't know. I never lost one.

Q. That's a good answer, anyhow, and brings us back to Mr. Bartholomew.

A. So soon?

Q. Yes, is a calliope something you eat, play, hang on the wall or cook with?

A. I think you hang it on the wall.

Q. If I do I have lots of help. Mr. Bartholomew, and this leaves you still at zero, Miss Pitman, snap out of it and see if you can answer this question. Where does tar come from?

A. If you drove your auto over dirt roads in summer you'd know.

Q. Correct. Mr. Fooble, what is the difference between a festa, a festoon, a fusilier and a funder?

A. You mean in our money?

Q. Maybe we'd better skip it. Is this statement true or false: The Washington Administration Feared that it was through badgering business and would lay off for the next couple of years.

A. No matter whether you said it was true or false, I would still demand official verification.

Q. Mr. Bartholomew, we're around to you once more. Who invented the potato masher?

A. Eli Whitney?

Q. No, you're thinking of the eggbeater. Come, Mr. Bartholomew, who invented the potato masher?

A. Joe Cook?

Q. No, that's the North Pole, fellow. Do you give up?

A. I gave up long ago. Who was it?

Q. If I knew would I be wasting my time asking you? Now, Miss Pitman, it's your turn.

A. I pass.

Q. I bid two spades. I beg pardon. Say, what's going on here? Miss Pitman is this statement true or false? Bettie Davis was the star of "Orphans of the Storm" and was supported by Clark Gable, Dustin Farnum and the last of the Ritz brothers.

A. I haven't seen the last of the Ritz brothers.

Q. It must have been a premature report. Let us repeat the question: How many members are there in the electoral college?

A. That isn't the original question.

Q. What was the original question?

A. You asked in what play now on Broadway Clark Gable did not play Abraham Lincoln.

Q. We're both mixed up.

A. Heigh ho, Silver.

Q. I didn't ask any question about a horse?

A. All right. I gave you an answer about a horse; now you think of a question about a horse!

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With the football season practically over, thousands of people will have to give up getting pneumonia at a game they never did understand, and played under weather conditions they would never tolerate anywhere else.

"President Losing High Income Vote."—Headline. Both have gone over to the other side.

These days if a man can build a better mousetrap than his neighbor, every football coach in the country will make a path to his door, thinks Fred Hamill.

"Roosevelt Wants Hopkins to run in 1940."—Headline. So do the Republicans.

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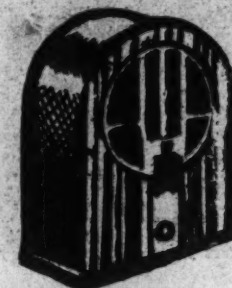
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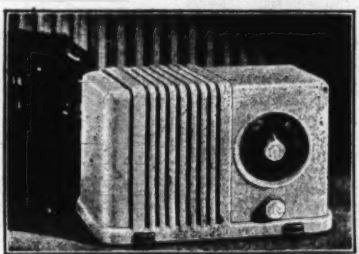
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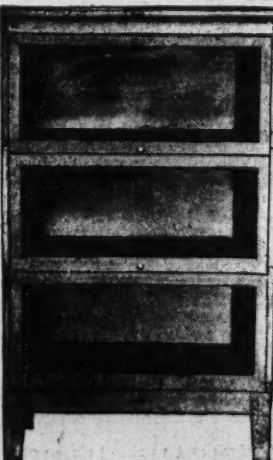
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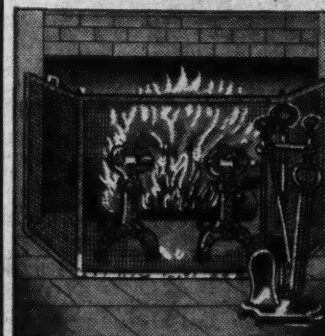
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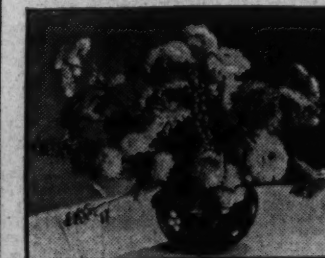
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Over the Coffee

By Harlan Miller

HUNT FOR WESTERNERS
Santa Claus couldn't bring a finer Xmas present to either Jim Farley or John Hamilton than a first-rate Western candidate for President whom all the asserted big shots in each party would love enough to support.

Some Westerners in his stocking of Cabinet or Supreme Court size might even make the President rejoice.

Right now, alas, such gifts seem to be at the bottom of Santa's big bag.

Such yearning for a Westerner who can wow the small towns like a Western movie hero springs from the growing belief of shrewd, influential men out in the wide open spaces that no Easterner, no matter how coast-to-coast his sympathies and benevolence, really loves the West as much as a man who has grown up within hailing distance of a dogie or a Poland-China pig.

This sentimental whim cropped up the other evening when a Western millionaire was cautiously asked his opinion of Senator Lodge, the semi-Townsendite friend of the common people from Back Bay Boston.

"Hell's bells!" he exclaimed. "If that guy's ever been west of Pittsburgh he was traveling 60 miles an hour. The West is just heavenly to him, and we're a lot of peasants. We'd be better off with a cross-roads statesman in the White House."

So the wise men are watching the stars, ready to gallop off on their donkeys, elephants or camels at a moment's notice. The candidate should be a streamlined Lincoln, with an intuitive grasp of monetary matters and a good radio voice.

Now, who's a Westerner depends on where you live. To a New Yorker, Senator-elect Robert Taft of Ohio is a Westerner; but to a Missourian, Taft is an Easterner; and to a Californian, Senator Bennett Clark is an Easterner.

But since the 1940 election is not to be decided by the "swing" States between the Ohio and the Missouri rivers, Lincoln the Second should come from there, to reunite this river land afflicted with a Mason and Dixon line on every Main street where it crosses the railroad track.

Thus, Tom Dewey is not likely to let anyone forget that he is a Michigander at heart, with a diploma from the University of Michigan to prove it.

And Harry Hopkins' friends are quietly at work to send the news singing across the back forty that he is a New York socialist only on the surface; at heart he is an Iowa boy who was born in a cattle town and grew up in a prairie college town with a population of 10,000.

There's a dearth of Western grants, because it's so much easier for an Easterner to get a big build up.

Tom Dewey becomes a national figure by sending a few procurers and poultry racketeers to prison. He works where the news wires sprout. But a Western county attorney could hogswear all the grafters and white slavers in his county and seize all the slot machines to boot and still remain unknown east of the Rockies.

Even a Western Governor is more an operative than a political figure nationally.

This scarcity is illustrated by President Roosevelt's troubles with his Cabinet and Supreme Court appointments.

He'd like a Westerner for the Mt. Everest of Justice; how he wishes Felix Frankfurter were a Nevada, or even from St. Louis or Milwaukee!

One of his bona fide Westerners is Justice Harold M. Stephens, who, though born in Nebraska, raised in Salt Lake City, a Los Angeles lawyer, a Salt Lake County prosecutor and a Utah judge, attended Eastern colleges seven years and has been at the bar and on the bench in Washington for five years.

No one, of course, can deny the Westernness of Gov. Murphy of Michigan; but it would be a help if Solicitor General Robert Jackson voted 100 miles west of his hometown, N. Y., which would put him in Ohio instead of western New York.

Don't be surprised to encounter Easterners in figurative overalls, cowboy chaps or riding breeches the next year or two, emphasizing the fact that they once spent a fortnight on a dude ranch.

Parker Named Mayor Of Stephens City
Winchester, Va., Dec. 8.—William J. Parker, of Stephens City, has been named mayor there to fill the vacancy created by the death of W. E. Gardner.

Local News Society

Sons Feed Fathers at Friends School Dinner



The usual order of things was reversed last night while sons fed their fathers at a banquet at Friends School where Jack Haggerty, football coach at Georgetown University, was principal speaker. Here, left to right, are Col. John Thomas Taylor, director of the national legislative committee, American Legion, being fed by his son, Stewart Fraser Taylor, 9, and G. G. Becker, of 3525 Thirtieth street northwest, being fed by his 9-year-old son, George Rainer Becker.

Milwaukee's 'Group Health' Backers Heard

2 Doctors Tell Dinner Here of Their Plans To Expand Clinics

The "campaign" being waged against it by organized medicine cannot stop the Milwaukee Medical Center, two of its backers told the Citizens' Committee for Medical Freedom last night.

Drs. J. E. Reuth and A. L. Curtin, who came to Washington to testify before the extraordinary grand jury investigating the American Medical Association, said that their group practice clinic is planning not only to go forward but to add such services as social welfare work and visiting nurses.

The two physicians, who were expelled from the Milwaukee County Medical Society because of their connection with the grand jury Wednesday.

The Citizens' Committee for Medical Freedom was organized a month ago today for the purpose of inducing Community Chest contributors to make their pledges conditional upon admittance of the Frodo Health Association doctors into hospitals which receive funds from the Chest.

Mrs. Nina P. Collier, secretary-treasurer, announced that 900 pledge card stickers were used and \$10,120 in donations tied up, according to Community Chest figures.

Principal speakers at the dinner meeting held at Wesley Hall, Dr. Reuth and Curtin bitterly assailed the American Medical Association, Milwaukee County Medical Society and the medical profession as a whole.

Tracing the development of the Milwaukee Medical Center, Dr. Reuth said it was launched on April 1, 1938, with a membership nucleus of 500 subscribers and that it now has 3,000. Complete medical care, but not hospitalization, is provided at a rate of \$3 per month for family members, he said.

The enterprise is not a co-operative but a co-partnership conducted by five physicians, said Dr. Reuth. He stressed the point that the clinic has the endorsement of the A. F. of L. unions in Milwaukee.

'Maritza' Played Again Here

The Columbia Light Opera Company, which presented Kaimel's "Countess Maritza" last night in McKinley High School auditorium under the direction of Ethel Manning, will present a second performance tonight with a change of principals. Marion Durbrow Venable, director of the ballet, will appear again, as will Richard Alderson in the role of Zupan, the dancing officer.

Tonight's principals include Donna O'Dell, Irving Chandler, Gayle Hunt, Florenz Hinz, Raymond Moore, Lydia Patterson, Howard Moore, Stanley Dombrowski, Julian Parker, Frances Jackson and Helene Parker. Leading singers in the first performance, who will sing tonight in the chorus, are Lola Sanders, William Moran, Leila Stanley, Edith Hoffman Jones, William Brower, Charles Moran and Ruth Ray.

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Man's Welfare Discussed at Session of Lions

Interests of individuals and of society are the same, Dr. Walter F. Dexter, president of Lions International, told District 22 of the Lions last night at a banquet at the Mayflower Hotel.

Answering his own questions, "can society exist without stifling the individual?" and "can the individual prosper without corrupting society?" Dr. Dexter said the interests of both were ultimately the same.

Man's welfare is preserved, he said, "by serving society on one hand and serving himself on the other." Dr. Dexter is superintendent of public instruction of California.

Last night's meeting was a gala affair for the clubs in District 22. Opening with a meeting of the officers of the district, the program included a buffet dinner for the delegates and the main meeting at 8 p. m.

President Brundage of District 22 welcomed the more than 300 delegates from Washington, Maryland and Virginia, and Past District Governor Bert Piers introduced the present District Governor George Phillips. When the roll was called Washington was shown to have the largest single delegation.

A musical score arranged for the occasion included a violin solo, by Hugo Buongiorno, a piano solo, by Gertrude Troutman; a tenor solo, by Justin Lawrie, and a violin solo, by Doty Butler.

Hunting Burglar, Boy Kills Sister, 9

Eleanor Dowdle, colored, 9, was accidentally shot to death last night by her 11-year-old brother, Nathan, when he believed he heard someone trying to enter their home at 1425 T street northwest. The children were alone.

Nathan told police he heard a sound at the front door of their apartment and got a .32 caliber revolver from a dresser. He said the gun was accidentally discharged while he was crossing the living room. A slug entered his sister's body at the heart.

Baptist Students To Hold Banquet

William Hall Preston, Associate Southwestern Baptist student secretary, will address the annual Maryland District of Columbia Baptist Student Union banquet tonight at 7 p. m. at National Baptist Memorial Church. "Comrades of the Christian" will be the banquet theme.

Blocked Marks Used by Nazis Described Here

Resistance Noted in South America, Pierson Tells Forum at G. W.

Efforts of Nazi Germany to promote trade in South America through use of "blocked marks" are encountering resistance, Warren Lee Pierson, president of the Export-Import Bank, last night told a special inter-American forum conducted by George Washington University.

The question before the forum, held in the auditorium of the United States Chamber of Commerce Building, was: "Can the United States Retain Latin-American Trade and Cultural Relations Against German, Italian and Japanese Competition?"

William K. Jackson, vice president and general counsel of the United Fruit Co., corroborated Pierson's statement by saying that "businessmen all over the world would welcome an escape from such annoying restrictions" as the blocked currencies.

The blocked marks, or "aski-marks," Pierson pointed out, are a form of mark usable only by the country whose exports create them. The result of granting payments in these marks, which require purchase of German goods by the country holding them, is to inject into the quest for trade an element of coercion.

As trade in the currency increased, said Pierson, the currency tends to depreciate.

"Two facts are worth noting," Pierson said, "first, that the depreciated mark is not entirely satisfactory even to Germany because there is a growing tendency to curtail the list of German exports for which full payments in aski-marks will be accepted."

"Second, I found the German school of thought encountering increasing resistance in South America—some countries having set a definite limit to exports of certain products for which blocked marks would be accepted."

The forum heard from Carlos Campbell del Campo, commercial secretary of the Chilian Embassy, the Latin-American version of how to checkmate the totalitarian states threatening United States trade with South America.

Campo said that if the United States wanted to increase trade with Chile, it would have to buy more of Chile, products, or invest money in enterprises in Chile, thus developing the country industrially.

Shake-up Due for D. C. Committees

Some Democrats Want Better Jobs in House; Kennedy May Take Palmisano's Place

By James D. Secret.

Committees which handle District legislation on Capitol Hill are due for a thorough overhauling early next month when the Seventy-sixth Congress convenes, due to the change in proportional representation of the two major parties.

While the ratio of Democrats and Republicans will not be determined until the session gets under way, it appears likely now that in the House it will return to that of the Seventy-first Congress, with the parties reversed. In the Seventy-first Congress there were 266 Republicans and 167 Democrats, whereas in the Seventy-sixth there will be 292 Democrats and 171 Republicans.

The proportion in the Senate, however, has not returned to that of the Seventy-first Congress. Despite gains, the Republicans have only 23 seats in the Senate as against 67 that are Democratic. The ratio, in reverse, in 1929 was 55 to 39.

Minority Ratio Changing

During the Seventy-first Congress the ratio of the majority-minority membership was 8 to 5 on the Senate District Committee and 13 to 7 on the House District Committee. Last session it was 12 to 3 in the Senate and 14 to 6 in the House with a Progressive on the latter committee.

As there are six Democratic vacancies on the House District Committee and one on the Senate District Committee, it may be unnecessary to remove any member of the majority to allow for additions on the Republican side. However, as few members select either of the committees by choice, there would be little objection raised to transfers.

Some of the House Democrats, in fact, already have signified a desire to get on more important committees, and it is expected that some of the Republicans will do likewise. Representative Engel (Republican) of Michigan, wants to get off the House Sub-committee on District Appropriations although it is likely that the Republican representation on this sub-committee will be restored to two.

Among the House members who have indicated they would like to get better assignments are Representatives Nichols (Democrat), of Oklahoma, and Wood (Democrat), of Missouri.

Kennedy Undecided

The only freshman member of the House who has asked for a place on the District Committee is Tommy D'Alessandro, of Baltimore, who nosed out the former chairman, Vincent L. Palmisano, in the fall primaries.

Representative Kennedy (Democrat), of Baltimore, has not yet decided definitely to take over the District Committee, but he plans to confer next week with Speaker Bankhead and possibly President Roosevelt on the matter. He indicated that if he can be assured of the co-operation of the House leadership and the Administration, he will tackle the job.

It is only one year since the Senate District Committee and that was caused by the death of Senator Copeland (Democrat), of New York. Some of the majority members may be transferred to other committees in the shake-up, and probably one Republican member will be added. Although Senator King (Democrat) of Utah, last fall he might quit as chairman of the District Committee, he has since indicated he would remain unless pressure of national affairs consumes too much of his time.

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Sisters Brighten Cosmopolitan Club Banquet



Among guests at the "ladies night" banquet last night of the Cosmopolitan Club were these three sisters, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Edelbert. They are (left to right) Mrs. Charles S. Coakley, Mrs. J. E. Mantz and Mrs. R. E. Lear. The dinner was followed by a dance.

Moderns Should Read More, Says Mrs. Norris, an Author

Kathleen Norris, whose novel-reading public is probably the largest in America, loosed her Irish wit on an audience at Holy Trinity Auditorium last night in a lecture that praised books, women and her childhood days in California.

She recalled how her mother took her brother down a peg or two when he insisted the day would come when every large hotel would have a telephone on both the bottom and top floors by telling him his imagination was of the type "that helps make America the laughing stock of the world."

They Did Have Books

"That was 40 years ago," declared Mrs. Norris, who was dressed in black lace and wore orchids pinned jauntily on her shoulder. "I think it was before that I heard my grandmother ask my mother in all seriousness her opinion of the 'woman who would let her children wear readymade underwear.'"

"We didn't have so many things the youngsters of today consider necessities, but we did have books. They were radio, telephone, movies and motor trips to us. Every evening we gathered around the central table in the living room and read."

"Nowadays, children scatter at dusk, each to his own light. He may have a book, but unless the radio is going full blast he can't enjoy it. And unless it is turned on Cab Calloway he can't seem to learn anything," she said.

On Selecting Geniuses

In her opinion, the boys and girls who are willing to trade books for the advantages of their modern new world are making a mistake. They should take both, she said, expressing consternation at the "small amount of worthwhile reading done by the young of today."

As for women, Mrs. Norris declared, they would be called geniuses, just like the men are, if they had someone to pick them out by the same standards the men have. "Men geniuses are picked out by their friends and then all the rest

Cosmopolitan Women Rule At Banquet

Wives of members of the Cosmopolitan Club took charge of things at the Mayflower Hotel last night to put on the organization's midwinter ladies' night. More than 100 members of the club and their wives were present for the dinner, dance and entertainment.

Tables arranged for parties of ten were decorated with flowers by the women, headed by Mrs. J. L. B. Murray, wife of the club president. Dr. Murray presided when the meeting opened, turning it over later to Harry H. Baker, chairman of the entertainment committee, who acted as toastmaster. The floor show included the Wrights, a dance team, and Texas Walker, a singing cowboy.

Baker was assisted by Dr. Anthony J. Scullen and Edmund O. Carl and C. J. Meek.

On Mrs. Murray's committee were Mrs. Edmund O. Carl, Mrs. Anthony J. Scullen, Mrs. Fred J. Rice, Mrs. Michael M. Doyle, Mrs. William L. King, Mrs. Edwin H. Silver, Mrs. Arthur W. Defenderfer, Mrs. A. Hamilton Wilson, Mrs. A. F. Lansdale, Mrs. Charles B. Dulcan, Mrs. J. Rozier Biggs, Mrs. Al Lee, Mrs. J. Edward Kandel and Mrs. Edwin Hahn.

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Nelson B. Bell About the Showshops

'The Citadel' Visualizes The Drama of Medicine

Robert Donat and Rosalind Russell Are Seen in Stellar Roles of Finely Made Picturization of Cronin Novel

"THE CITADEL" Merto-Goldwyn-Mayer London-made picturization of the novel by A. J. Cronin, adapted to the screen by Ian Dalrymple, Frank Wead and Elizabeth Hill, with musical score by Louis Levy, costarring Robert Donat and Rosalind Russell, with Ralph Richardson, Rex Harrison, Emyl Williams, Penelope Dudley Ward, Francis Sullivan, Mary Clare, Cecil Parker, Nora Swinburne, Edward Chapman, Athene Seyler, Felix Aylmer, Joyce Bland, Percy Parsons, Dilly Davis, Basil Gill and Joss Ambler. Directed by King Vidor. At Loew's Palace Theater.

There is a directness, cumulative power and close fidelity to the characters and movement of his novel that should make Dr. A. J. Cronin as grateful for the skillful adaptation of "The Citadel" to the screen as Noel Coward was, say, for the faithful transcription to celluloid of his historical stage pageant, "Cavalcade." The action of the picturized version of the novel that has sold upward of 1,000,000 copies on both sides of the Atlantic encompasses a comprehensive survey of the ethics and practice of medicine without at any time subordinating dramatic interest in the lives of a particularly engaging group of struggling and earnest people to preachment.

While primarily the life story of a single individual, from the days of his internship to his final emergence as one of the foremost practitioners of his profession, "The Citadel" also is a sweeping glorification of the medical fraternity and, at times, a bitter indictment of its weaknesses. Unobtrusively, but nonetheless effectively, it even ventures into the matter of "social medicine" and takes its stand firmly on the side of mass health preservation.

The vital and stirring events with which the drama concerns itself are initiated with the arrival of the youthful Dr. Andrew Manson in a squalid little coal mining community where he is to be assistant to the invalid company physician. He is expected to take up the practice of medicine in the face of underpay, a woeful lack of essential medical and surgical equipment and the bigoted opposition of a prejudiced, stupid and antagonistic local government and misguided laity. The wife of the ailing doctor to whom he is assigned promptly sees to it that he loses his post, but another and better one immediately is proffered him. Here again disaster overtakes his ambitious plans, when the modest little laboratory, rigged up by him and his bride, is wrecked by the angry miners who totally misconstrue the purposes of his research in an effort to determine the tubercular effects of dust and the contagions of the deep-sunk shafts. An emergency operation far underground that saves a miner's life still has no effect upon the stubborn opposition of the narrow-minded and hard-headed miners and those in authority over them. So Dr. and Mrs. Manson give it all up and move to London.

Idealism Surrenders to Greed

In the metropolis recognition is slow, but poverty is quick. By merest chance, one day, Dr. Manson is able to do a service to a rich young woman in a tantrum and so come into association with former friends in the profession who have waxed rich by indulging the delusions of London's fashionable and wealthy feminine hypochondriacs by an immensely profitable form of quackery. Here he comes face to face with the shady practices of exchanging patients, splitting fees and otherwise converting an honorable profession into a questionable source of specious and speedy financial independence. His idealism is surrendered to a monstrous greed—until another old friend of the mining days reappears with a prodigious plan for great medical centers that will solve the medical problem for the poor and the middle class who can not otherwise pay the heavy fees of expert attendance from their meager earnings.

It is the death of this old friend through the bungling inefficiency of a "great" London surgeon that snaps Dr. Manson back to the realization of his own desertion of principle and restores his perspective and sense of duty. When up before the medical association to be read out of the profession, for having taken a case with a great doctor who lacked only the legal credentials to practice, Manson delivers a ringing indictment of all that ails the exalted calling to which he has dedicated his life.

This heroic story of a heroic man is related through the medium of progressive sequences that are vividly realistic and arranged in an order of growing importance from the childhood scene, in which a still-born infant is breathed back to life by the young novice, through the dynamism of a company sewer to stamp out a typhoid epidemic, to the luxurious environs of London with its degenerating influences of opulent chicanery. The story is given a spirited romantic lift by the courtship, marriage and subsequent divergence of viewpoints between Manson and Christine, the company school teacher in his first mining post, to whom he proposes from the curbstone while she hangs expectantly from a second-story window!

Realizes Every Dramatic Possibility

There are many in secondary roles who do much to preserve the unusually high level of "The Citadel's" excellence as a gripping and convincing document. Foremost among these are Ralph Richardson, one of the finest actors in the contemporary theater, and Rex Harrison, who deserves equal eminence in a lighter vein. Emyl Williams, Mary Clare, Francis Sullivan, as a belligerent leader of the miners; Basil Gill and Joss Ambler are others to whom the picture is deeply indebted for fine characterizations.

King Vidor's direction realizes every dramatic possibility of the fine script with which he was provided by Ian Dalrymple, Frank Wead and Elizabeth Hill, and Louis Levy has supplied a musical setting that adds much to the effectiveness of the play's recurrent moments of humor, pathos, melodrama and minute analysis of the medical mind.

The supplementary features of the new bill at the Palace make up in contrast what they lack in number. The most thrilling of the short-reels in Pete Smith's serio-comic dissertation upon the hazards and humors of ice hockey, presented under the title of "Hot on Ice," the most beautiful, the travelogue in natural color devoted to "Madeira, Isle of Romance." The bill is completed by the "News of the Day," visualizing such current events as appealed to the eye of the camera-man.

Why, Dr. Trenkle, Is That Nice?



EDWARD HORTON AND MISCHA AUER

Mr. Horton, as Oliver, seems blissfully unaware of the masterful insolence being heaped upon him by Mischa Auer, in the role of Dr. Trenkle, in "Little Tough Guys in Society," opening on the screen today at RKO-Keith's Theater. Mary Boland has the principal feminine role in opposition to the "little tough guys."

The New Yorker

By Leonard Lyons

New York, Dec. 8.

DEFEAT: After the Sally Clark-George McLenahan nuptials a reception was tendered at the Boston home of the bride's aunt. . . The newscameras requested permission to photograph the assemblage, but were refused. . . A compromise finally was effected. An Associated Press photographer was to be the only cameraman permitted inside—and he'd share his picture coverage with the others. . . The A. P. man entered, took two photos and departed. . . Too late he discovered that he had erred—and the pictures were blanks.

PLEA: John Roosevelt hasn't visited El Morocco since the day it was reported that he had had a fracas there when he refused to pose for a picture. . . At the wedding of his sister-in-law John saw Jerome Zerbe, the El Morocco photographer, and told him: "I want a favor. I want you to use your influence. . . MY influence?" asked the startled Zerbe. "What influence would I have where the President's son doesn't?" . . . "Well," confessed John Roosevelt, "I want you to use your influence—to get me an El Morocco tie."

ENTERPRISE: The Theatre Arts Center will produce a musical show next month—the first all-political revue to be presented as a regular Broadway run. . . The songs will be written by Harold Rome—author of "Pins and Needles" and "Sing Out the News"—and Marc Blitzstein, who wrote "Cradle Will Rock." . . It will star actors currently engaged in Broadway hits. Two wealthy ladies will furnish the backing. Salaries will be on a minimum basis. All the profits will be devoted to aiding the oppressed people of Spain, China and Germany.

SPEECH: When Col. Batista, Cuba's Head Man, visited here recently he spoke only through an interpreter. . . When Damon Runyon interviewed him in Havana, Luis Guitierrez—Kid Chocolate's manager—acted as interpreter. Runyon asked Batista whether he ever had read the life of Napoleon. Guitierrez interpreted the question and then the reply—that Batista had read many volumes about Napoleon's life. . . When the interview was over, Batista called to Runyon: "Please understand—I have no Napoleon complex." . . He spoke—in English.

TRIUMPH: Sam Spewack and his wife, Bella, are the authors of the current hit musical, "Leave It to Me." . . It concerns a newspaper man about to be fired—who finally gets a contract as foreign correspondent. . . Now that the show is an assured hit, Bella Spewack is preparing their next play. Sam Spewack has gone to Spain for a few weeks. He'll write dispatches for the N. Y. Times.

CELEBRATION: In celebration of his new job with Goldwyn, James Roosevelt presented his wife an Alibine Mink coat, the only one of its kind in the world. . . It was purchased from Louis Rittier, the furrier. It took 16 years to find and match the skins. . . The coat cost almost as much as the reported salary James Roosevelt will receive for one year.

DISCOVERY: Last year, when Kurt Weill was signed by Paramount, the movie officials told the composer that for his picture they'd have to find a man who looks something like Gary Cooper and sings something like Lawrence Tibbett. . . "I've got the man," Weill suggested. "His name is Ray Middleton. You have him under contract, but never gave him work." . . The suggestion wasn't adopted, and so Weill took Middleton to N. Y. to portray Washington Irving in the Maxwell Anderson-Weill show, "Knickerbocker Holiday." . . Since the premiere Middleton has received three film offers. The first one came from Paramount.

In Hollywood

Hollywood, Calif., Dec. 8.—No body ever believes that actors get hurt when they fight in pictures. Even we in the business often scoff and say it's all arranged beforehand, and the chairs are made of rubber.

But it isn't always play. I saw Joel McCrea get a well sized egg while battling a couple of bruisers in "Union Pacific." That got us HEDDA HOPPER started. She told how Edward Maxwell, DeMille's dialogue director, knocked her out once. Supposed to crack her on the jaw, he misjudged his distance and smashed her to the floor. And when Lloyd Nolan threw a glassful of whiskey into Bob Preston's face in "King of Alcatraz," Bob was supposed to hit him—gently of course. But he slipped in the whiskey and his punch went wild, knocking Nolan clean across the room.

Bob doesn't fight in this picture. He thinks it's a good sign—that he's being recognized as an actor who can act with his face, not his fists. His face is good enough for us, he has what it takes, and Joel McCrea had better look to his laurels.

Also in "Union Pacific," Julia

Faye, former star, plays a dance hall girl. During the scene one of the men fell off a train and was killed. Julia cried out, "Just my luck, that guy owed me two dollars." But the boys office snipped that!

Heads I win, tails the opposite. Frances Farmer must have been flipping a coin when she laughed at Hollywood and got the lead in "Golden Boy" in New York. Husband Lefty Bryckers followed her—was satisfied with a couple of lines. Now, in their latest Paramount picture, "Ride a Crooked Mile," Frances does a walk-on and husband Lefty's name is ahead of hers. But as usual, Akin Tamiroff steals the picture. It's almost bromide to repeat that he gives a magnificent performance, as do Lynne Over-

With Hedda Hopper

mann, J. M. Kerrigan and John Miljan. Nice to see John again. "I ain't the schvabe I object to in learning a new dance," said Helen Broderick as she limped up to me today. "It's the wear and tear on my patience." She's the victim of jitterbug lessons for "Always Leave Them Laughing." I limped right back, for I've been learning the Conga for "Midnight." "You can't teach an old dog—," I started. "You're wrong," she interrupted. "I can dance rings around those kids." And she did. But Jack Barrymore who watched us said, "Why are they making natural things so uncomfortable these days? And who knows when to stop—male or female?"

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'Angels' Now Spreads Havoc On Met. Screen

Cagney and O'Brien Shine in Drama of The Underworld

The forceful power with which Warner Brothers' films attack matters of contemporary concern is splendidly set forth in that excellent melodrama, "Angels With Dirty Faces," which returned to the downtown area yesterday morning at the Metropolitan Theater. James Cagney brings to that type of character in which he has gained wide popularity—the not-to-be-crossed gunman—a depth and sureness which makes this one of the finest photoplays of the month.

Some have complained that this story of the gangster and his priestly friend is not a new one. They are quite right, but just how many fundamentally "new" stories are there? One has heard that there are only a handful of fundamental plots which, in various manipulations, are the basis for all our stories. "Angels With Dirty Faces" may tell a tale that is not new, but it tells it well, inevitably and breathlessly is the climax reached.

Suspense Is Keen
The conflict between the gangster and his friend is shown to be a result of external circumstances which the priest recognized and sought to change. The suspense with which the final ten minutes of the film is set forth is done with admirable certainty. The priest is anxious that the gangster die "yellow," so that after death he will not be an inspiration to those boys of the slums who have admired him in life. There is a subtle, double ending to the film for the gangster, as he is about to be electrocuted, does turn coward at that last instant. Did he do so as a last favor to his old pal, the priest, who had asked him to, or does his nerve actually fail him at that moment? One may not know, but the solution without being conscious that the other exists.

Is Efficiently Played
Pat O'Brien gives a generally restrained performance as the priest and the "Dead End" kids appear effectively as the embryo gangsters, who don't want their racketeering hero to break down. Ann Sheridan lends a light touch of romance in her supporting role and Humphrey Bogart is still his sinister self. They may not be original, but they are most exciting.
Short subjects and a Newseel are also on the bill at the Metropolitan with this excellent melodrama.

R. L. C.

Film Table

Loew's Capitol—at 11:10 a. m., 1:30, 4:35, 7:20 and 10 p. m. Stage shows, at 12:55, 3:35, 6:20 and 9 p. m.
Earle—"Come Out Broadway," at 11:15 a. m., 1:35, 4:35, 7:15 and 9:55 p. m. Stage shows, at 1, 3:45, 6:25 and 9:05 p. m.
WKO-Kelth's—"Little Tough Guy in Society," at 12 noon, 2:30, 4, 6, 8 and 10 p. m.
Palace—"The Citadel," at 11:30 a. m., 2, 4:30, 7:05 and 9:35 p. m.
Metropolitan—"Angels With Dirty Faces," at 11:30 a. m., 1:30, 3:30, 5:25, 7:35 and 9:35 p. m.
Columbia—"If I Were King," at 12 noon, 2:25, 4:55, 7:20 and 9:50 p. m.
Belasco—"Spy of Napoleon," at 4:15, 6:10, 8:05 and 10:05 p. m.
Little Theater—"M," at 11 a. m., 1:45, 4:30, 7:15 and 10:05 p. m. "L" begins at 40, at 12:30, 3:15, 6 and 8:50 p. m.
Trans-Lux-Newseel and shorts, at 10 and 11:45 a. m., 12:30, 1:45, 3, 4:15, 5:30, 6:45, 8, 9:15 and 10:45 p. m.
Rialto—"Professor Mamlock," at 3:25, 6:25, 7:25 and 9:25 p. m.
Tivoli—"The Mad Miss Manton," at 1:45, 3:45, 5:45, 7:50 and 9:55 p. m.
Ambassador—"Stablemates," at 1:30, 3:35, 5:35, 7:35 and 9:35 p. m.
Uptown—"Just Around the Corner," at 1, 2:45, 4:30, 6:15, 8, and 9:30 p. m.

Man Robs Woman Of Diamond Ring In Md. Woods

Mrs. Olive King, well-to-do resident of Gambrills, Md., yesterday told Anne Arundel County police a weird tale of robbery by a man who forced her to sit on the ground with a stocking cap over her eyes while he stole a \$200 diamond ring. She had crossed Defense highway about 8 miles west of Annapolis yesterday to gather greens for Christmas decorations. When she was about a quarter mile up a little used road a man came up behind her and commanded her to pull her cap over her eyes, keep her eyes and mouth shut and to sit on the ground or he would "shoot her brains out."

He pulled two rings from her finger, kept the diamond ring and threw back a wedding ring on which her name was engraved, she told police. He then ordered her to count slowly 300.

Mrs. King told police the voice sounded like a white man's.

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Shown at the dedication of the Elihu Root Auditorium at the Carnegie Institution yesterday are (from left) W. A. Delano, architect; Sir Richard Gregory, speaker; W. Cameron Forbes, board chairman, and J. C. Merriam, retiring president.

Persecutors Assailed by Scientist Here

Sir Richard Gregory Speaks at Dedication Of Root Auditorium

Totalitarian governments which nurture intolerance and persecution in the name of race or religion were assailed yesterday by Sir Richard Gregory, British scientist, in his Elihu Root lecture at the Carnegie Institution, of Washington. "The virtues which should be prized most today if civilization is to mean the evolution of social ethics to a noble plane is regard for spiritual values, love of truth and beauty, righteousness, care for the suffering, sympathy with the oppressed and belief in the brotherhood of man," Sir Richard said. "Any nation or people which separates itself from the rest of the world in the name of race or religion and cultivates ideals of conquest by force in order to assert its claims, is reverting to the law of the jungle and retarding the higher evolution of mankind."

Discusses Darwin's Work
A representative cross section of the Capital's leaders in science assembled to participate in ceremonies dedicating Elihu Root Hall in the Carnegie Institution's new wing, heard the British baronet's sharp denunciation.

Discussing Darwin's work, Sir Richard pointed out that many mistakenly suppose that it leaves ethical and moral ideas out of consideration, whereas evolution embodies the idea of social ethics and makes the welfare of the community the essential purpose of the life of the individual.

"It is being widely recognized that science cannot be divorced from ethics or rightly absorb itself from the human responsibilities in the application of its discoveries to destructive purposes in war or economic disturbances in times of peace," he asserted.

Scientists owe it to themselves, he said, "to assist in the establishment of a rational harmonious social order out of the welter of human conflict into which the world has been thrown through the prostitution of the rich gifts with which they have endowed the human race."

Tribute Paid Root
Opening the dedicatory program, W. Cameron Forbes, chairman of the board of trustees, introduced William A. Delano, the New York architect who designed the addition and its memorial auditorium.

Dr. John C. Merriam, retiring president of the Carnegie Institution, and Forbes paid warm tribute to the memory of Elihu Root, who from 1913 until his death last year was chairman of the board.

Dr. Vannevar Bush, vice president of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and who will succeed Dr. Merriam as president of the Carnegie Institution on January 1, was a member of the audience at the exercises, with Mrs. Bush.

Last night Sir Richard was among the guests of honor at a dinner, held at the Carlton Hotel, honoring Dr. Merriam for his 18 years' service as head of the institution. The latter will resume work in the field of paleontology and related subjects when he steps down from his administrative office.

U. S. Officials Hold Parley With Bank of America Heads

Heads of three Government banking agencies yesterday were closeted with top officials of the Bank of America National Trust and Savings Association, San Francisco, parent bank of the Giannini group, in what will be the first of a series of conferences on problems concerned with management of the institution.

Representatives of the Government were Preston Delano, Comptroller of the Currency; Jesse H. Jones, chairman of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation; and Leo T. Crowley, chairman of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation. Other Treasury officials, including John W. Hanes, Undersecretary, also attended.

Bank officials present were L. M. Giannini, son of A. P. Giannini and president of Bank of America; Russell Smith, vice president; and William Blauer, vice chairman.

Stock Fraud Charged
Although the exact nature of the conversations was not disclosed, considerable interest attaches to them owing to the recent action of the Securities and Exchange Commission in starting a stock delisting proceeding against Transamerica Corporation, largest of the Nation's bank holding companies, and the means whereby Giannini banks are brought under common control.

The SEC, in its order directing Transamerica to show cause in hearings beginning January 16 why its stock should not be stricken from stock exchanges, charged that the registration statement covering the company's stock contains "false and misleading statements."

A number of transactions involving Bank of America were cited to support this contention. Among transactions mentioned was the purported transfer in 1931 to a Giannini holding company, and

"apparent" treatment by the company as a guaranty to the bank, of \$35,214,000 face value of assets classified by examiners as losses and doubtful accounts "of such unsatisfactory character as to require their elimination from the bank's balance sheet." Later, the SEC said, the bank reduced in part the holding company obligation "by a write-up of unrelated assets."

Co-operation Is Aim
Treasury officials explained that the series of conferences with bank officials was in line with the established policy of trying to work out problems relating to individual banks on a co-operative basis.

The same practice is followed, it was explained, whether the bank involved is, like Bank of America, one of the largest in the country, with branch offices extending over an entire State, or a small community institution.

Matters involved in the conversations, it is said, have no immediate or direct connection with the questions embraced in the SEC inquiry. The problems, it is understood, have been pending for some time, and an effort is being made to solve them.

The conference, it is explained, are the outgrowth of considerable correspondence and discussions with various persons. Neither the SEC nor the Federal Reserve Board was represented at the initial conference. Indications are that these agencies will not take part in the talks. So far as the Reserve Board is concerned, its powers are such as to place it in a separate category with respect to bank management problems.

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Still another service for this helpless town. This one is the Van Duyn Book Service. He and his wife (the whole outfit) deliver promptly any book you order, and also offer helpful advice on bookish matters once a month,

A Woman's New York

by Alice Hughes

New York, Dec. 8.

OUR BIG stores are getting smarter all the time in the matter of Christmas gifts for the ladies. Devoting more space to them making it easier for the harassed wife or sweetie to find something he'll like. Why, one huge shop has turned over almost an entire floor to nice things for Daddy Dear (on Christmas).

It seems to me that the range of nice, small gifts for the boys is much wider than it has ever been. Here are a few of the things I've found in my aisle-crawling lately. After-shaving lotions and toilet waters are no longer considered sissy—wedding of the men. Among the masculine scents they'll probably like are sage brush, pine, green walnut and one that smells practically like an open log fire. I admit this is a good trick, but they've done it. More practically, I've seen a combination key and knife that would tickle any man—especially when he tries to open the front door with the knife. Of course, his signature can be copied in white on the pocket of dark flannel robes, often wine or navy. These are right snappy.

Men are going more and more for casual clothes in which to loaf around the house on Sundays, or just when they don't feel so hot. Shirts and slacks of pin-wale, washable corduroy—either matching or contrasting—are very popular in the local bazaars this winter. Then there are the leather things—lots of them. Document cases, very important looking, and even solid leather pipe racks, if he is addicted to the duden.

The old gag about women's gift neckties is cold and dead. We don't presume to buy him neckwear these days unless we are absolutely sure of his taste. But one thing we can never go wrong on, and that is hankies. The man never lived who always had enough handkerchiefs. So if we must settle on the obvious—let's rush over and get him a dozen of the very best white wisest.

GIRL ABOUT TOWN—Well, it's all right. Mr. Rockefeller has officially opened the third season of his famous skating pond at Fifth street and Fifth avenue and away we go. One misadventure can be shopping sedately, and the next we can be getting our lumps on John's open-air ice. Cute little Audrey Peppé skated an exhibition at this year's premiere—then the rest of us went out and looked silly. Jack's rink really gets hot after 11 p. m., when it is rented out for private parties. Really, you'll see some of the most amazing people falling grace down, with that Old-World feeling.

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This column appears daily and Sunday.

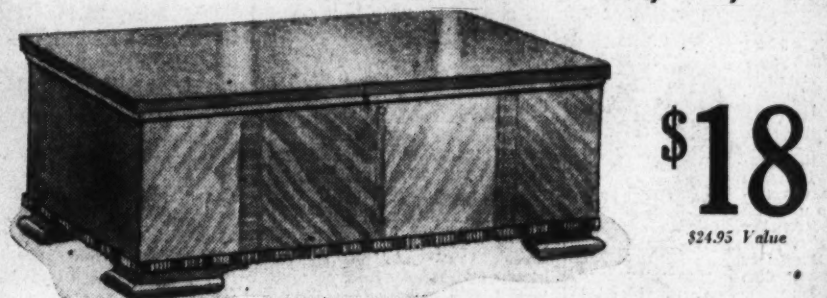
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Food Contest Contributors Know Their Onions As Useful for a Variety of Splendid Dishes

Salads, Potatoes and
Meat Recipes All
Use Modest Bulb

By Alice Clayton.
The Post Food Editor.

THAT ONIONS serve only the kitchen purpose of seasoning has been disproved in The Post's recipe contest. Even the three contest judges who passed on the entries last week were baffled by the wide variety of dishes made possible through the use of onions.

Housewives unused to the taking ways of the onion, the shallot, the leek or the garlic plant may find in this week's assortment of prize recipes many original ideas for varying their daily menus. Gypsy's joy was the most romantic entry, a spicy casserole of rice, green peppers, chopped ham and tomato soup.

Onions in potato cradles was the most retiring of the entries, while raw onion sandwiches were just the opposite. Most popular of the ideas submitted were stuffed, planked onion recipes. Fillings included everything from chicken, minced meat and pork, mushrooms and vegetables to unassuming rations of chopped hamburger and cold beef hash. Following are the prize winners.

Iberian Loyalist

True to the heritage of incomparable Spanish onion cooking is Mrs. Ella A. Heath, 5201 Kansas avenue northwest. So flavorful was her creamy onion puree that the contest judges were unanimous in awarding her the first prize of \$3. Her tempting dish of simmered onions, blended with white sauce and fresh eggs would prove as a luncheon or late supper entrée.



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Spanish Onion Puree

Peel and cut up one large Spanish onion that weighs 1 pound. Two onions may be used that weigh one-half pound apiece. Cook until soft in a pint of good meat stock. Press through a colander and add to a quart of white sauce. (To make the white sauce, cook eight tablespoons of flour blended with four tablespoons of butter, one tablespoon of salt, one-quarter teaspoon of pepper and enough paprika to make the mixture pink.) Let the white sauce, and onion mixture come to a boil. Remove from the fire and stir in, very quickly, two beaten eggs. Serve in hot bowls of Spanish peasant ware, if possible. Garnish each serving with three green olives stuffed with celery.

Cheese Custard

Second award of \$2 has been won by Mrs. Arthur Rhoads, 520 Elm street, Frederick, Md., for an onion pudding. Here, as in the first prize recipe, the contest committee exhibited its preference for simple, easily prepared food. Mrs. Rhoads has entered such a plain, custard-like pudding that it might well be used as the base for many other bland-flavored vegetables. The addition of cheese to the eggs and milk avoids flatness.

Onion Pudding

Peel six or eight medium-sized onions and cook in boiling water until tender. Drain and chop



The three Post recipe contest jurors, above, are intently engaged in pronouncing a verdict. They have just completed judging last week's onion competition. These three experienced homemakers, who left their personal duties to serve as magistrates, are Mrs. V. O. Osborne, 415 Gallatin street northwest; Mrs. Margaret King, 1627 Thirty-fifth street northwest, and Mrs. S. M. Garwood, 4618 Reno road northwest.

Contest Jury

In this week's judges' box three women of wide home making experience will sit in conclave over the merits of holiday fruit cakes. Three housewives of distinctive talents have been asked to decide which five fruit cakes deserve cash awards. The judges will be Mrs. Mary Graham Ireland, 719 Third street northeast; Mrs. E. Tobin, 2824 Twelfth street northeast, and Mrs. Thomas Doyle, 3435 R street northwest.



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Mrs. Crow Wins

Mrs. Pauline Crow, 320 North Caroline avenue southeast, really has something to chortle about this week, for after continuing to compete weekly in each Post recipe contest she has been adjudged one of this week's winners. Her prize of \$1.00 was won on a crisp Bermuda salad bowl, which all three judges agreed possessed a piquant, fresh flavor. As Mrs. Crow herself says, "The midwinter raw onion when used in salads is as interesting to look at as it is to taste."



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Bermuda Salad Bowl

Separate one small head of cauliflower into flowerets. Slice thinly crosswise. Slice one-half large Bermuda onion and separate in rings. Add one-half cup of sliced pimiento olives. Marinate in two-thirds cup of French dressing for 30 minutes. Just before serving, add one head of broken lettuce and one-half cup

of crumbled Roquefort cheese. Toss lightly. Serve from bowl, pass dressing. Serves six.

Flavorful Entree

Mrs. Mary Louise Cameron, 1929 Sixteenth street northwest, has been awarded a \$1.00 prize for her zesty onion entree.



MRS. CAMERON
of zesty onion entree.

Few satisfying main course dishes could be more palatable or economical than these meat and onion balls. Although Mrs. Cameron has

indorsed ground beef liver for her recipe, almost any inexpensive meat or fowl might be satisfactorily combined with the parboiled onions and tomato soup.

Onions With Liver Balls

Mix one-fourth pound of ground beef liver, one cup of bread crumbs and one tablespoon of salt and one-eighth teaspoon of pepper together. Shape into eight small balls. Peel four medium sized onions, cut into halves and parboil. Place onions in buttered casserole and place liver balls on top. Add one can of condensed tomato soup combined with water. Cover and bake in moderate oven, 325 degrees Fahrenheit, three-fourths of an hour, or until onions are tender. Serves two, according to appetite.

From Miss Rice

Miss Annie Rice, 3601 Macomb street northwest, has been awarded a \$1 prize for savory stuffed onions. This triumph over her competitors proves conclusively that she knows a thing or two about onion cookery, for

many tempting stuffed onion recipes vied with hers for an award. The contest judges felt that her blend of sausage meat with its undertones of thyme and nutmeg possessed an indescribable goodness of flavor.

Peel six medium-sized Spanish onions. Empty out centers with a vegetable scoop. Parboil for 3 minutes and turn upside down on cloth to drain. Fill the insides with a savory sausage meat to which has been added one-half teaspoon each of nutmeg and thyme. Cut up one carrot and one onion and lay on bottom of baking dish. Lay onions on top and moisten with one-half pint of chicken broth after all fat has been skimmed off. Cover with buttered paper. Place in oven to glaze for 40 minutes, basting often. Place on hot dish, strain gravy over this mixture and serve at once.

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Colonial Cookery

Old Recipe for Candied Fruit

Candied fruits and citrus rinds are so indicative of holiday celebrations that this week's Williamsburg recipe has been selected for its seasonal value to Washington cooks who prepare yuletide goodies well in advance. Through the courtesy of the bureau of research and records of the Colonial Williamsburg Incorporated, weekly extracts from their eighteenth century culinary files will be published exclusively in The Post. These recipes will be printed in toto from old Virginian manuscripts. The only changes will be where quaint grammatical phraseology or obsolete ingredients have been replaced by more modern

products which are obtainable for local home use.

Mrs. H. M. Griffith, of the Kennedy-Warren, has requested a reliable and attractive recipe for candied grapefruit peel. Her wish should be more than fulfilled with the following Williamsburg recipe which is practical for orange, lemon or grapefruit peel. By this time this formula should be well tested and proven for it was first published circa, 1740.

CANDIED ORANGE, GRAPEFRUIT OR LEMON PEEL

TAKE large pieces of orange, lemon or grapefruit peel and cover them well in cold water. Bring slowly to a boil and boil very gently for a few minutes until slightly tender. Drain, and put them in cold water. Scrape out the

loose white pulp with a silver spoon and cut the peel in long narrow strips. Return the peel to cold water, bring slowly to a boil, then drain and blanch. Repeat four times. Make a boiling syrup of one fourth cup water and one half cup sugar for the peeling from two pieces of fruit. Add the peel and boil it slowly until all the syrup is gone—do not burn. Cool the peel, roll it in coarse sugar and spread it out to dry.

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BISQUICK large pkg. 25c	DOLE'S Pineapple GEMS 3 14-oz. cans 25c
PREMIUM FLAKES 1-lb. pkg. 14c	DROMEDARY Date & Nut Bread can 10c
SHRIMP Bilozi Miss. 5 3/4-oz. can 10c	LINDSAY Colossal Olive 8 1/2-oz. can 19c
Sanico Mayonnaise Full Quart 35c	MACARONI or Spaghetti 3 pkgs. 10c
KRAFT MIRACLE WHIP Full Quart 35c	HEINZ BEANS With Tomato Sauce 18-oz. can 10c
SHREDDED RALSTON 2 pkgs. 23c	HEINZ Cooked Spaghetti 17-oz. can 10c
QUAKER OATS 2 20-oz. pkgs. 15c	COFFEE CREAM Chestnut Farms 1/2 pint 15c
WHEATIES The Breakfast of Champions 2 pkgs. 19c	AIRWAY COFFEE lb. 14c
POST TOASTIES 2 pkgs. 11c	WALDORF TISSUE 4 rolls 15c
CORN KIX 2 pkgs. 23c	FLA. ORANGES From 2 doz. for 25c to 2 doz. for 49c
AUNT JEMIMA Pancake Flour 2 pkgs. 19c	FLA. TANGERINES each 1c
PILLSBURY Pancake Flour pkg. 7c	FLA. GRAPEFRUIT Large Size 5c
SANICO Pancake Flour 3 pkgs. 19c	FLA. GRAPEFRUIT Medium Size 3 for 10c
PANCAKE FLOUR Virginia Sweet pkg. 5c	HERSHEY'S COCOA 1-lb. Can 10c
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Recipe Runners-Up

Mrs. Gwyn Griffiths, 2131 P street northwest—Onion and potato salad.

Mrs. Mary Duffy, 409 Park avenue, Baltimore, Md.—Stuffed onion with onion sauce.

Mrs. Agnes Rhodes, 2515 Thirtieth street northwest—Browned onions with rice.

Mrs. Vincent Burdette, 4907 V street northwest—Onions in potato cradles.

Mrs. Mattie L. Slaughter, 348 Fairfield drive, Bethesda, Md.—Gypsy's Joy.

Miss Merry Elizabeth Ireland, 719 Third street northeast—Onion om.

Mrs. John Sousa, 749 Silver Spring avenue, Silver Spring, Md.—Stuffed onions.

Mrs. E. Steinem, 1714 H street northwest—Onion pie.

Mrs. S. E. Boswell, 1931 Calvert street northwest—Onion gruel.

Mrs. Addie Lanehart, Berkley Springs, W. Va.—Stuffed onions.

Mrs. Sara Lee Orange, 2025 I street northwest—Onion fondue.

Mrs. James A. Bennett, Leonardtown, Md.—Onion canapes.

Charlotte Fay Hiehle, 4021 Tunlaw road northwest—Glazed onions with peanut sauce.

Mrs. B. C. Phillips, 631 Allison street northwest—Onion upside down muffins.

Miss Maria Wiesbacher, 4423 Eighth street northwest—Fried onions and apple rings.

Miss Mary Cole, 113 East Church street, Frederick City, Md.—French fried onions.

Mrs. French Morgan, 2601 Brentwood road northeast—Onions with bacon.

Mrs. Charles A. Lee, 404 Virginia avenue, Harrisonburg, Va.—Onion sauce.

Mrs. M. Hook, 313 Douglas street northeast—Peanut butter fried onions.

Miss Anna Belle Estes, Sperryville, Va.—Baked stuffed onions.

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Mary Haworth's Mail

Long Haunted by Dread of Old Age, Girl of 19 Asks How to Be Rid of Obsession

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: What is a girl to do who, while presumably normal in every other respect, is continually depressed and can feel no interest in life because she is always thinking of the time when she will be old? I am 19 years old and I cannot enjoy life, because all I can think of is the dismal picture described above. I have dwelt on the thought for so long that I feel as if I am nearer 60 than 19. I want to stay young, but I realize that is an impossibility.

Do you think I should consult a physician and be under mental observation? Or how shall I overcome this fear that has possessed me for three years? I certainly shall appreciate any advice you can give me; anything you can say which might make the future look a little brighter. It seems as if I am able to analyze my problem, but I can't get rid of the fear. Hoping to hear from you soon, I am, UNHAPPY.

DEAR UNHAPPY: Yours is a problem for a diagnostician with psychiatric insight. Your chronic mental depression may be indicative of an endocrine disturbance—an ailment which can be remedied by proper medication, expertly administered; and then again it may be a reflection of a psychic or emotional disturbance—such as can be corrected only by psychiatric analysis and instruction. Or perhaps both factors enter into it.

There is a possibility that your supposed dread of old age isn't the real fear at all; that it is merely a disguise for some deep lurking fear of another sort—such as fear of death, for instance, or punishment after death as expiation for sins. And on the other hand, maybe you have hit the nail squarely on the head; maybe your aversion to old age stems from some shocking, frightening or melancholy childhood experience with an elderly person.

In any event, and whatever the root cause of your unhappy mental attitude, you cannot afford to let it ride, as the phrase goes. It must be looked into and corrected. Don't believe that laymen or even that old-fashioned type of family physician who might tell you there is nothing wrong; that you're only imagining things; that you can "snap out of it" if you will. Neglected, the condition may develop into a serious nervous or emotional sickness. At worst, you might become mentally ill; at best, you would become a social misfit. But by taking the stich in time which saves nine, the cause is every reason to hope you will soon be restored to that state of buoyant cheerfulness characteristic of the healthy girl of 19. If you do not know whom to consult, as psychiatrist or diagnostician, you may telephone me and I shall give you some names to choose from. M. H.

How Overcome Handicaps?

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: I am a girl of 18 and didn't finish high school. I have no job and can't go back to school. I want to go to business school, but haven't the money to do so. My main problem is my lack of social skills. I have only one girl friend and she isn't much help, because she is in the same fix as I am.

I have only gone out a few times during the past two years. I don't have any dates and am getting tired sitting home all the time. I want to go out and make new friends and have a good time. I belong to one club, but I don't mix well with new people. I get all confused and don't know what to say. What do you think I should do? Would a change to another city help any? I will do anything you say. MISERABLE.

No Royal Road

DEAR MISERABLE: There is no pat and easy solution of your problem. The only person who can solve it is yourself; and the only way you can solve it is by plain, unadorned hard work. So long as you persist in your present "I can't" attitude toward life,

you are not going to get anywhere. On the contrary, you are going to sink into a state of progressive dry-rot.

When a person says "I can't" he really means "I won't" or "I refuse to make the effort." And from your statements above it appears that you have lain down on your job every step of the way, and yet wonder why you haven't been paid off in the coin which goes to the indefatigable, optimistic individual. You say you didn't finish high school. You have no job. You can't go back to school. You can't afford a business education. You don't mix well with strangers; you don't know what to say. You have no boy friends. Your one girl friend is of no help to you. You belong to a club and get no fun out of it.

Well my child, you can't expect to buy much treasure with a wooden nickel. You can't hope to advance to an enviable position in life on the dead-beat basis of operation. You can expect to receive from life only in proportion to your own investment of effort. The first thing for you to do, therefore, is to put your back into the proposition of completing your high school education, and getting some business training—all of which can be done at one and the same time, free of charge, through the District of Columbia's public night schools.

You can get full information on the subject from the superintendent's office, on the first floor of the Franklin Administration Building, Thirteenth and K streets northwest. While working toward your high school diploma you may take courses in stenography, typing, business English, business arithmetic, operation of office machines, etc. Such kind and quantity of education is indispensable if you are to remedy your present dead-end situation. An interesting social life will come to you only as an incidental by-product to a life of personal usefulness. You will have to buy your own books, and you will have to obtain the small sum necessary through your own efforts. How to do it is for you to figure out. It can be done, if you are sufficiently interested to make the effort. Read the classified ads and get busy. M. H.

Miss Haworth will be glad to help you in solving your problems. Write her in care of The Post Woman's Page.

A Dash o' Scotch for Between Seasons

Clothes sluggishness usually sets in on school wardrobes about this time of year when fall garments contract that listless look. To offset the daily monotony of classroom sweaters and skirts, or that inevitable black dress, a two-piece woolen in the gayest of plaids would be exhilarating. Pleasant wardrobe diversions are the starched snowy collar and the prancing silver horse which serves as a pocket clip. An ideal traveling companion for a holiday trip back to the old home at Christmas



The Gentler Sex

By Malvina Lindsay

Bogey Women

"Now, this is a very important committee, and I'd like to get some very good women on it." "Well, who have you got—besides ourselves?" "Nobody yet. And we've got to have five. Say, I was just wondering about that Mrs. Chipp. She's got lots of pep—"

"Mrs. Chipp! I wouldn't have her."

"Why not?" "Well, a lot of people think she's a Communist."

"No." "Yes. Now, of course, now I'm not saying she is a Communist, but I do know that she runs around with a very radical bunch."

"Well, we'd better be safe. Of course, there's Mrs. Otter. She's not very active, but she's got lots of money."

"I don't think it would be good policy to have Mrs. Otter."

"Why not?" "Well, everybody says her husband's a Fascist."

"Now, all I know about it is that that English woman who was here—the one that everybody said was mixed up with the Cliveden set—well, you remember she stayed at the Otters?"

"That's right. Well, of course, we don't want any conflicting ideologies. . . . Can you think of anybody?"

"Let's see—well, what's the matter with Mrs. Bash?" "I don't believe she's the right type. You know I sort of suspect that she's—well, a pacifist."

"Mrs. Bash!" "Well, I've heard her say some mighty funny things."

"I'd never dreamed that about Mrs. Bash. Well—of course, there's always Mrs. Noodle—"

"Heavens! We can't have her!" "Well, what about Mrs. Strong? Now, she's a born organizer."

"Well, I don't know about Mrs. Strong. She's an out and out big Navy woman. You know, she runs around with that Navy crowd, and everybody says they're trying to get control of the country."

"Well, of course we don't want anyone with the wrong ideology. Oh, say now, Mrs. Jinks is not bad."

"I'm afraid she's a little dangerous. You know she belongs to that Friends of Right Living Group."

"What's the matter with them?" "You know what they believe, don't you?"

"No, what?" "Well I don't know exactly, but I'm a little afraid of them."

"Say, they're not the same as that League for the Broader Life, are they?"

"No, I don't think so. They're different groups. Now one's all right and one isn't, and I think Mrs. Jinks is in the wrong one."

"Well, if we get five women, we've got to think of somebody."

"Well, I can't think of anybody but Mrs. Noodle—"

"I simply won't have her. It would take all our time explaining things. Oh say, what about Miss Hazey?"

"I'm a little afraid of her. You know, she's got that peculiar religion."

"If we could just get one other good woman—besides ourselves—I suppose we could do with a committee of three."

"Well, after all, Mrs. Noodle's perfectly safe."

"Y-e-s, I guess she does have perfectly sound ideas."

"Well, there's really nothing the matter with her."

"Oh, I suppose we might as well take her."

Junior High Teachers to Hold Dinner Tonight

The Junior High School Teachers' Association of the District will have its annual dinner to-night at 7 o'clock, at 2400 Sixteenth street. The president of the association, Thomas Ferry, will preside.

As this is the twentieth year of the existence of junior high schools in Washington, the dinner will be in the nature of a celebration.

Former presidents of the association will be present. The honor guests will be Superintendent of Schools and Mrs. Frank W. Ballou; Assistant Superintendent and Mrs. Chester Holmes; Henry Gratton Doyle, dean of Columbian College of the George Washington University, and Mrs. Doyle, president of the board of education.

Musical selections will be given by a group of junior high school teachers, a humorous recitation by Joseph Botkin, Miss Hannah Bonnell, in charge of the program, will lead departmental singing.

Other teachers in charge of arrangements are Mrs. Marguerite Kellogg, Miss Ada Entwistle, Mrs. Wilhelmina Sands, Mrs. Ruth Trundle, Miss Pearl Thurber and Mr. Theodore Robb.

Baking Fruitcakes

Bake fruit cakes in covered casseroles to keep them moist. Fill the casserole not more than two-thirds full, since the cake will rise. Before storing the cake allow it to cool. Then wrap it in several thicknesses of waxed paper and set it in a cool, dry place. Make the dish airtight by pouring melted paraffin around the edges where the cover meets the dish. Use a glass, china or earthenware dish.

New Washable Polka Dot Dresses

\$16.95

Dresses that will keep you looking cool and gay on shore excursions and at resorts! Streaked with stripes of polka dots in fresh white on sun-drenched grounds of rose quartz, purple, Everglades green, shell pink, grey and navy rayon crepe—two-piece style with pleated skirt, fitted top. Also a one-piece pleated skirt frock in white on grey, Panama tan, copen, pink, purple or buttercup. 12 to 20.

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Beautifully simple style—fitted bodice and sweeping skirt—grand self-striped rayon fabrics. Sun Orange, Sky Blue, Petal Pink, Coral, Hyacinth and Geranium. 34 to 42. (Left)

Sizes 44, \$1.85
46—\$2.25

Vanity Fair Halter Gown

New Evening Night Gowns of luxurious rayon Radia. Surplice bodice dress-detailed with halter back and deep V. Entrancing colors—Tallman, Delphinium, Hyacinth. 34 to 42. (At left)

\$2



Vanity Fair Warm Pajamas

Bit of Christmas cuddling—in tuckstitch made of fine-combed cotton. Two-piece pajamas with little collar, cord belt, ski pants, long sleeves and one style with feet! Light blue, rule, flame, aqua, coral, blush. 14, 16, 18. (Right)

\$2



Vanity Fair Radia Slips

Tailored of this long-wearing new rayon fabric that washes easily and needs no ironing. Self-lattice detail at fitted bustline—shadow-panel, adjustable straps. Tealose, white, black in "Junior League" and "Women's Club" proportioned lengths. (At right)

\$2



Vanity Fair "Zorina" Gown

Named for the star of "I Married an Angel." Evening Night Gown of rayon Radia is a heaven-sent gift idea. Soft shirred bodice in two colors—Tealose with Blue, Black with Madriena, Tealose with Madriena. 32 to 38. (Above)

\$3

Menus For Today

By Alice Clayton.

The Post Food Editor.

(Meatless menus filled with proteins)

BREAKFAST

Baked apples with top cream

Prized eggs

Bolled salt mackerel

Butter sauce

Nut and fruit muffins Marmalade

Hot coffee Milk for children

LUNCHEON

Hot vegetable soup

Grilled cheese sandwiches

Stuffed eggs

Brown betty Rum sauce Hot tea

DINNER

Cream of Spinach soup

Tuna fish and egg casserole

Buttered carrot strips

Baked acorn squash

French fried onions

Saratoga chips filled with olive

and pimiento paste

Hot coffee Lemon meringue pie

TUNA FISH AND EGG CASSEROLE

Drain the oil from a 27-ounce can of tuna fish (2 cups) and reserve. Flake the fish and add 2 tablespoons of lemon juice. Arrange the fish and 4 sliced, sliced hard cooked eggs, and 1 cup of cooked peas in alternate layers of a greased casserole (1½ quart size). Melt 4 tablespoons of butter in a double boiler. Add 4 tablespoons of flour, then blend. Add 2 cups of bottled milk or 1 cup of evaporated milk and 1 cup of water. Add ¼ teaspoon of salt, ¼ teaspoon of pepper and 1 cup of grated cheese and cook over boiling water, stirring constantly until thick. Pour over casserole mixture and top with 1 cup of fresh breadcrumbs to which the tuna fish oil has been added. Bake in a moderately hot oven of 375 degrees Fahrenheit for about 30 minutes or until the crumbs are a golden brown. Serves 6 heartily.

For the Home Washer

Washing machine hints: Always turn off the machine if you are suddenly called away. The average tubful of clothing requires six minutes for ordinary washing—and ten minutes for badly soiled articles, such as overalls. Change the water twice in laundering soiled articles such as rugs and play suits. Never overcrowd the washing machine, since the garments in it may be torn.



Gift Specials in Fine Perfumes



Harriet Hubbard Ayer's \$3 "LILAC"

\$1.50

An exquisite perfume—as haunting as the first scent of lilacs in the Spring—and true to the flower! Beautifully put up in imported bottles, gift boxed.



Worth's \$5 Dans la Nuit

\$2.50

Imported French Perfume is such a flattering gift! Particularly this sophisticated lovely fragrance in its smart bottle and box.



Fioret's Perfumes

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Very special price on these handomely bottled and boxed Perfumes—originally much higher priced. Bouquet, Gardenia and Sweet Pea fragrances.

Arrival of Mrs. Swan Signal for Many Parties

Artist Will Be Here for Show Sunday;
Miss Chapin Also to Be at
Preview at Washington Gallery

As much a center of attention as the sculpture itself at Sunday's preview of the next exhibit of the Washington Gallery of the Museum of Modern Art will be two of the artists who are coming to the Capital to be present at the event. They are Mrs. Lucile Swan, whose "Sword Dancer in Pewter" has been loaned to the exhibition by Mrs. Harrison Eustis, and Cornelia Van A. Chapin, who will be represented by her stone carving "Pelican in Repose."

The arrival of Mrs. Swan and Miss Chapin will be the signal for a flurry of parties. Mrs. James Clem-

ent Dunn has asked a few friends in for tea tomorrow afternoon to meet Mrs. Swan, who will stay with Mr. and Mrs. John Carter Vincent at their apartment in Georgetown. Mrs. Francis Biddle, sister of Miss Chapin, and Mr. Biddle will give a tea for her on Sunday afternoon.

Mayers to Entertain For Mrs. Swan

Mrs. Swan will be feted the same afternoon at a cocktail party to be given by Maj. and Mrs. William Mayer, whom she knew when all three lived in Peiping. The Mayers will return there later this month. Maj. Mayer having been recently named Military Attaché at the United States Embassy.

A specialist in portraying the Chinese, although she approaches her subject in a simple, American way, Mrs. Swan recently held a one-man show in New York for her work done in China. She will give another exhibit later this month in Chicago.

Not content, like the average tourist, simply to visit the ports and large cities of China, Mrs. Swan has spent months studying the natives in the countryside and visiting Buddhist temples.

Mrs. Swan did a head of Dr. Hu-Shih when the present Chinese Ambassador to this country was a teacher in Peking years ago. She and Mrs. Vincent have been friends ever since they shared an apartment in Washington Square in New York's Greenwich Village. There the artist worked at her sculpture while Mrs. Vincent wrote. Later they set out together for a visit to Bali, and after a stay there eventually ended up in Peking. So enchanted were the pair with Peking, where they had originally planned to remain only two weeks, that they leased a house together.

Mrs. Swan has resided there off and on ever since, and only recently returned to this country. The war will not stop her from going back to China early next year.

Comes Originally From Chicago

Before she took up her extensive travels, Mrs. Swan made Chicago her home. A tall, statuesque person, with dark hair and eyes, she is as charming a personality as she is a skillful artist.

The chairman of the Washington Gallery, Mrs. Dwight Davis, will return in time for the preview from her plantation in Tallahassee, Fla. She will be here for a week or ten days before rejoining Mr. Davis there for Christmas.

Capt. Eden Due Here Next Week

Anthony Eden, who will arrive in New York today, will come to Washington early next week and will be feted at a dinner at the British Embassy on Wednesday evening. The party will be a quiet affair as the embassy is in official mourning for the late Queen Maude of Norway.

Formerly British secretary for foreign affairs, and rumored as a possible cabinet minister again, the distinguished Briton is coming to America simply as "Capt. Eden." When he lands in New York today on the Aquitania he will be accompanied by Mrs. Eden; his secretary, Viscount Hinchinbrooke, and the Viscountess, and Sir Ronald Tree, whose mother was Ethel Field and who is a cousin of the present Marshall Field, third of the line.

President Roosevelt will receive Capt. Eden, and he may be entertained at the White House unofficially. One of the captain's forebears, Sir Robert Eden, last Colonial Governor of Maryland, lies buried in Annapolis, and the English statesman has been asked to pay a visit to the Maryland town.

Gregorys, Bushes Guests at Dinner For Dr. Merriam

Sir Richard and Lady Gregory and Dr. and Mrs. Vannevar Bush were honor guests at a dinner given last evening at the Carlton for Dr. John Campbell Merriam, retiring president of the Carnegie Institution, by the trustees and staff members.

Dr. Merriam is relinquishing his post January 1 after 18 years. Dr. Bush, vice president and dean of the engineering school of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, will succeed Dr. Merriam. Sir Richard Gregory, editor of the English scientific journal "Nature," is in this country on a lecture tour.

Prince Colonna Due in January

Prince Ascanio Colonna, the newly appointed Italian Ambassador, is expected to arrive early in January with the Princess to assume his duties here. The diplomat, whose family is one of the oldest in Italy, has been in the diplomatic service since in the diplomatic service since in Sweden and Hungary.

Mrs. Phillip Coffin Entertains at Tea

Mrs. Phillip Coffin entertained informally at a small tea yesterday at her residence on S street. Mrs. Pettinos Blow was another who invited friends in for a cup of tea yesterday between 5 and 7.

To Spend Christmas Holidays Here



Harris & Evans.

Mrs. Eldridge Durbrow, the former Miss Emily Maitland Moore, and her husband will spend the Christmas holidays here with her mother, Mrs. Mead Moore. Mrs. Durbrow, whose marriage took place in London last summer, is now finishing her course at Vassar College. Her husband, who is American Consul at Naples, will arrive in this country December 21 and will come with his wife to Washington. Early in January, Mrs. Durbrow will return to Vassar, where she will receive her degree at the end of this semester. Later she and her husband will go to San Francisco to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chandler Wolcott Durbrow, before returning to Italy.

Wilson's Widow Fetes Cheneys

Mrs. Woodrow Wilson entertained at dinner last evening in honor of Col. and Mrs. Louis R. Cheney, of Hartford, Conn., who have come to see the latter's sons, Robert Crain, Jr., and Bennett Crain. They will return today to Hartford after a stay at the Mayflower.

Mrs. A. H. Gasque Has Lunch With Daughter, Friend

Mrs. Allard H. Gasque, filling the unexpired term in Congress of her late husband, Representative Gasque of South Carolina, was a luncheon guest yesterday at the Mayflower with her daughter, Mrs. John A. Hollowell, Jr., and Mrs. Jack Marshall.

Dinner to Honor Justice Laws, Wife

Rear Admiral and Mrs. Charles Edward Riggs entertained at a dinner tonight for the Friday Evening dancing class in honor of Justice and Mrs. Bolitha J. Laws.

Notes of Society

Official and Residential

Mrs. Roosevelt will return at noon today from New York in time to entertain at a luncheon in honor of Mrs. Charles Evans Hughes and the wives of the Associate Justices of the Supreme Court. Prior to going to New York she spent some time at Warm Springs with the President and also visited her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. David Gray, in Florida.

The United States Minister to Ecuador and Mrs. Boas Long have returned to Washington and are at the Mayflower.

Representative J. Harold Flannery, of Pittsburg, Pa., and Mrs. Flannery are at the Mayflower while here for several days.

Representative and Mrs. Sol

McCall Lanham will entertain at a tea on Wednesday afternoon at his studio, 2837 Connecticut avenue, from 5 to 7, in honor of Miss Florence Fawcett, Miss Alice Jean Whit, Miss Eleanor Hamilton, and Miss Lois Silverstris, of the Chevy Chase Music School.

George McCabe, of Chevy Chase, and his daughter, Miss Margaret McCabe, are spending two weeks at the Greenbrier in White Sulphur Springs. Also there are Dr. and Mrs. Daniel Borden, and Mrs. J. F. Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Livingston, of Chicago, are spending several days at the Wardman Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Sloane, of 1730 H street, are at the Commodore Hotel, in New York. Also there from Washington are Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Flake.

Mrs. J. A. Weinberg gave a luncheon and bridge party yesterday at her home on Montague street.

Dr. Van Zeeland, Belgian Ex-Premier, Will Visit Here

Dr. Paul Van Zeeland, former Prime Minister of Belgium, will spend the week-end in Washington at the Belgian Embassy and will be guest of honor at a dinner to be given tomorrow evening by the Ambassador and Countess van der Straten-Ponthor. It is possible he may arrive in time for the musicale which the envoy and his wife will give tonight.

The Byrons Lease Sterlings' Home

Representative-elect William D. Byron, of Maryland, and Mrs. Byron, have leased for the winter the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Sterling at 2134 Kalorama road. The Sterlings are in Sweden, where Mr. Sterling is United States Minister.

2 Debs Will Share Cocktail Party Honors

Miss Margaret Jeschke, debutante daughter of Maj. and Mrs. R. H. Jeschke, and Miss Virginia Wickham, debutante of Richmond, Va., will share honors at a cocktail party to be given tomorrow afternoon by Miss Mary Helen Jones in her apartment at 1515 Kennedy Warren. Miss Wickham is visiting Miss Jones.

Notes of Society

Official and Residential

Bloom and their daughter, Miss Vera Bloom, have returned from a trip to Florida which was made by a group of Senators and Representatives invited to see the resources of that State.

Mrs. George B. Evans, of Rosemont, Pa., is at the Mayflower while here to attend meetings of the National Committee on Volunteer Service of the American Red Cross held yesterday and today.

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Mrs. McLean Entertains Theater Troupe

Party at Friendship;
Plans Dinner Tonight
For Julian Gerards

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Gerard, Jr., of New York, will arrive today to spend the week-end with Mrs. Evelyn Walsh McLean, who will give a small dinner for them tonight at Friendship. Mr. Gerard is the brother of James Gerard, former United States Ambassador to Germany.

Mrs. McLean, who attended the opening performance of "Pins and Needles" Monday evening, gave a party for them yesterday afternoon at Friendship. There was music for dancing, and several younger members of society were invited to meet the troupe, who are taking a year off from their jobs in the garment trade.

Mrs. McLean, who wore a simple black frock and her famous Hope diamond, was assisted during the afternoon by her daughter, Miss Evelyn Washington McLean.

Wainwright Dinner Held

Brig. Gen. Jonathan M. Wainwright was guest of honor at a farewell dinner last evening in the Willard Room of the Willard Hotel. The function was arranged by several of his friends in recognition of his untiring efforts in behalf of horsemen and horsemanship in the Army.

The committee arranging the event included H. Rosier Dulaney, Jr., Fenton M. Fadel, District of Columbia Commissioner Melvin C. Hazen, Dr. William McClellan, and Harry H. Semmes. The company included a number of Army officers, "pink-coated" figures of the Maryland and Virginia hunting sections, and several prominent Washingtonians.

Among the guests were Joseph J. Cotter, Thomas N. De Lashmott, John O. Gheen, Col. William M. Grimes, Dr. James N. Greer, Jr., Fletcher Harper, Capt. John L. Hines, Jr., Maj. Henry B. Leonard, William Lipscomb, Capt. Henri A. Lieberman, Col. David McClellan, Lieut. Col. R. L. Maxwell, Frederick W. McKenzie, F. Morris, Capt. John Meade, Thomas P. Morgan, Jr., and Edgar Morris.

Still others there were Thomas T. Mohr, Maj. George H. Milbo, land, Raymond H. Norton, Claude W. Owen, Dr. Benjamin Perry, Lieut. John R. Pugh, Augustus Riggs 3d, Col. A. W. Roffe, H. L. Jr., Dr. Fred Sanderson, Daniel C. Sands, Lacy Shaw Crompton Smith, Harry Worcester Smith, Smith, Col. David S. Stanley, Melvin Sharpe, Lieut. Gen. Friedrich von Boetticher, George T. Walker, Arthur Godfrey Maj. Frank L. Whitaker, Gen. Edwin B. Winans, and Robert Whitlaw Wilson.

Farleys to Attend White House Dinner

Mrs. James A. Farley, wife of the Postmaster General, will come to Washington on Monday from her home for her first stay here of the season. She will attend the Cabinet dinner at the White House on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Farley will be guests of honor at a dinner to be given by the Secretary of the Democratic National Committee and Mrs. Lawrence Wood Robert, Jr.

Miss Florence Cauthen To Make Debut Friday

Mrs. Dorothy Lee Ward has issued invitations to a tea Friday when her niece, Miss Florence Ward Cauthen, will make her bow to Washington society.

The party will take place at Mrs. Cauthen's home at 2400 Massachusetts avenue.

About The Town

With Dudley Harmon

CELEBRITIES will be a dime a dozen in the Capital week-end, what with the Gridiron dinner on Saturday and Mrs. Roosevelt's party for Gridiron widows that Mrs. Harry H. Woodring will host on Sunday evening at the White House.

Among those coming to town are Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt, who have been at their Maryland farm most of the winter. The well-known sportsman will attend the dinner at the Willard, but his wife, even though a Vanderbilt, is ineligible for the White House party, being neither a newspaper-woman nor the houseguest of a "Gridiron widow." Both, however, have been invited to the buffet supper at which Secretary of War and Mrs. Harry H. Woodring will be hosts on Sunday evening, December 18.

THE ANNUAL DANCE which Mrs. K. V. H. Wylie has been giving on Christmas night for a number of years has come to be regarded by Washington society as almost as much a part of the holiday features as tinsel and tissue paper. This year Mrs. Wylie will again entertain at the party, to take place as usual in her handsome old red brick house on Thomas Circle, which is still lighted by gas jets instead of electricity.

Also out are cards for the dance which Mrs. Demerest Lloyd and her daughter, Angelica Lloyd, will give on New Year's Eve at their house on R street. For the first time in several seasons Mrs. Evelyn Walsh McLean is not entertaining at a dance at Friendship on this evening.

THE FOREIGN SERVANTS of diplomats stationed in Washington seldom speak English very well at any time, but usually go completely to pieces when re-

quired to talk it over the telephone. One woman, whose husband is Counselor of a Central European embassy, has solved the problem of hanging near the phone a sign with the following phrases written in the language of her country and then translated phonetically thus: "Can moment pls., 'Madam is at home,' and 'Madame is not at home'."

SPEAKING OF DIPLOMATS, one attaché who arrived in this country recently for the first time says that he always thought he would be able to cope with English until he ran into American slang. The other night he was chatting with a deb at a dance when she suddenly said, "Well, do you want to struggle?" Looking around in vain for signs of a fight, he finally realized that she was talking about dancing. This particular diplomat is feeling rather homesick anyway, and experiences like this only make him more depressed.

ODDS AND ENDS: The retiring Japanese Ambassador and Mme. Saito will vacate the embassy next week and move into a small apartment. They will remain here for several months owing to Saito's bad health. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Thacher Winslow have issued invitations to a cocktail party tomorrow at Rangleigh, their Virginia home, and thoughtfully enclosed directions to how to get there. Mrs. Winslow is the former Frida Frazer. . . . Capt. and Mrs. Theodore Wilkinson entertained at a dinner last evening.

IN AN EFFORT to get members with intelligence as well as social position, the Junior League assigned several prospects a theme to write on what they would do for charity if they had a million dollars. One deb, who had heard vaguely of endowing a hospital with beds without quite knowing what the phrase meant, called up a member of the Garfield staff and asked how much beds cost. When he told her she said "I just wondered because I would like to buy a million dollars worth of beds to put in the hospital."

'Little Diplomats' Busy Learning Christmas Broadcast Speeches

Talks to Be Carried to Their Native Lands
By Short Wave as an Annual Good Will
Gesture to the World From Washington

The Junior Diplomatic Corps in Washington, meaning the sons and daughters of foreign representatives here, are busy learning speeches—some are even writing their own—in preparation for the seventh international children's Christmas broadcast Tuesday, December 20. The speeches, which will convey their greetings to distant nations, will be broadcast from the Shoreham. This event is arranged annually by the Greater National Capital committee as a good-will gesture to the world.

Among the youthful participants in the event will be Marjorie Bertha de Morgenstern, daughter of the Norwegian Minister and Mme. Munthe de Morgenstern; Robert Patrick Brennan, son of the Irish Minister and Mrs. Robert Brennan; Pola Fotitch, daughter of the Yugoslav Envoy and Mme. Fotitch; Mirza Zadekic, whose parents are the Lithuanian Minister and Mme. Zadekic; Leandra McCormick-Goodhart, daughter of the Commercial Secretary of the British Embassy and Mrs. McCormick-Goodhart; Leon Leonard, son of the Assistant Agricultural Attaché of the Belgian Embassy and Mme. Leonard; Charles Lombard, son of the Military Attaché of the French Embassy and Mme. Lombard.

Also Mary Rincos, daughter of the Guatemalan Minister and Senora de Rincos; Teresa Castro, daughter of the Minister of El Salvador and Senora de Castro; Liana De Bayle, daughter of the Nicaraguan Minister and Senora de De Bayle; Cesar Caceres, son of the First Secretary of the Honduran Legation and Senora de Caceres; Estelle-Marie Zanni, daughter of the Military and Air Attaché of the Argentine Embassy and Senora de Zanni, and Mary Riddell, daughter of the Counselor of the Canadian Legation and Mrs. Riddell.

Senores Rodriguez And Vial Are Here

Carlos Vial and Tomas Rodriguez, of Santiago, Chile, who have arrived here from California after a visit to Hawaii, are at the Shoreham for a stay of two days. They will return to the Capital in two weeks after a trip to New York. Senor Vial is president of the Santiago newspaper, El Imprudal, and former president of the Santiago Stock Exchange. Senor Rodriguez is connected with the exchange.

Newlyweds Feted By L. W. Malins

Dr. and Mrs. Lawrence W. Malin were entertained at a reception last evening by Dr. and Mrs. Wendell E. Malin. The guests of honor were married on Monday evening, December 5 at the home of the Rev. F. D. Nichol, of Takoma Park. William Cameron, of the United States Navy Orchestra, gave a program of music.

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**Sanders Couple
Will Make Home
In Silver Spring**

Mr. and Mrs. Hilbert Sanders, who were married Sunday afternoon in Baltimore, are in Florida for several days. They will make their home in Silver Spring. The bride, formerly Miss Ada Margaret Sclar, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Moses Sclar, of Silver Spring, Md.

Only members of the immediate families witnessed the wedding. The bride wore an afternoon frock of teal blue crepe with accessories to match and a corsage of white roses. She was attended by her sister, Miss Fannie Sclar, who had chosen a burgundy ensemble. Jacob Sclar, brother of the bride, was best man.

**Mrs. Lawson-Johnston
To Visit Daughter Here**

Mrs. J. Ormond Lawson-Johnston will arrive in New York December 15 on the Queen Mary, and after a visit there will come to Washington to visit her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Grant Mason, Jr. Formerly a Washington resident, Mrs. Lawson-Johnston is now noted as one of London's leading hostesses.

Society to Meet

The Archeological Society of Washington has issued invitations to its meeting on Wednesday evening, December 14, at the Sulgrave Club. The president, Wade H. Ellis, will introduce the speaker, Dr. Morley J. Williams, director of research and restoration at Mount Vernon, who will give an illustrated lecture on "The Archeology of Mount Vernon."

Tea Dance Planned

The annual Cadet and Midshipman tea dance for the benefit of the Army Relief Society will be held under the auspices of the ladies of the Army War College on December 31 from 5 to 7 o'clock. The event will take place at the Army War College.

Gives Dinner

Miss Mabel Boardman entertained at a dinner last evening.

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Women's Clubs Present 'The Prince of Peace'

Play in 10 Episodes Deals with Life of
Christ; Each Part Is Put on by
Different Group at Roosevelt High School

By Jessie Ash Arndt,
The Post Society Editor.

Ten episodes, dealing with the life of Christ, were presented by different women's club groups last night in Minnie Frost Rand's play, "The Prince of Peace," sponsored by the District of Columbia Federation of Women's Clubs. It was given at Roosevelt High School auditorium with a cast of 80.

The play was directed by the author, who also coached the final episode, in which members of the Women's Council of the District of Columbia Federation of Churches took part. The characters were played by different persons in the various scenes. However, they were identified by the costumes. The prologues were by Hester Walker Beall, and music by Ida Hoyt Chamberlain.

The costumes, from the Mme. Mountford collection, were assembled by Mrs. Joan Southward, Dorothy Mitchell and Christine Stewart were in charge of them for last night's performance.

The first episode was introduced by the overture to "King Solomon," by Sir Granville Bantock. The scene was Hasmonaeon Palace, Jerusalem, 80 B. C. Gall Richardson directed this for the D. C. Federation of Women's Clubs with Maud Howell Smith in the role of the queen, and Frances Green, Lena Trock, Anne Helme, Becky Allister, Margie Kraemer, Clara Tarbett and Frances Smythe taking part.

In the second episode, presented by the Women's City Club, under direction of Sylvia Ziskind were: Marjorie Webster, Betty McCoy, Mary Jane Snyder, Martha Zoll, Elaine Graham, Gertrude Holman, Dixie Moran and Virginia Edelburg.

The third, presented by the Washington Chapter of Hadassah, Mrs. David Kushner directing, included: Arman Bakshian, Audrey Rands, Mrs. J. E. Levenson, Mrs. Herman Becker, Mrs. Philip Silverstone, Mrs. Herbert Levy, and Miss Myrtle Kaminsky.

Evelyn Freyman directed for the Washington Council of Jewish Women in Episode 4, in which



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the Marion Chase dancers were the wives of Herod. Others who took part included Miriamne Berkowitz, Eliza Taylor and Elizabeth Seibert.

The Junior Women's Club of Takoma Park, directed by Clara Tarbett, presented Episode 5. Those taking part were Clara Mae Tarbett, Betty Smalley, Betty McKnight, Marjorie Angier, Evelyn Ballow, Lucille Barnes, Grace Dawson, Thelma McDaniell, Jessie Miller and Eva Owens.

In the next were members of the Women's Guild of Mount Pleasant Church, directed by Frances Green. They were Lucy Beth Garden, Gladys Middlemiss, Phyllis Rands, Eunice Sligh and Ruth Snodgrass.

The District of Columbia Branch of the National Sabbath Alliance, with Mrs. Wallace Streeter directing, presented the seventh episode, with Jennie E. Wright, Marion T. Sawelle, Emma Powell and Pearl Atkinson taking part.

The Takoma Park Women's Club presented the eighth episode, with Mrs. H. W. Hayes, Mrs. Frederick Pratt, Mrs. Paul W. Burk, Mrs. Roy C. Harbin, Mrs. Elmer E. Boyner, Mrs. Walter DeGroot, Evelyn Bal-lou and Jessie Miller in the cast.

The last, by the District of Columbia Federation, under Mrs. Rands' direction, was presented by Evelyn I. Vernon, Felice Randolph, Mary Jo Day, Marion Sawelle, Henrietta Padgett, Helen Landrey, Selma Dreier, Anne Ives, Selma Withrow Sligh, Mary Osterloh, and Frances Rainey.

Bazaar to Exhibit Hand-Woven Goods At Barney House

A bazaar, making a feature of hand-woven fabrics—afghans, Ascot scarves and material for spring suits and coats—as well as handmade pottery and other articles from the Barney Neighborhood House looms and craft shops, has been arranged by the President of the board of trustees, Mrs. George Thorpe, for December 12. It will be at 1421 Pennsylvania avenue, the bookshop of the Goodwill Industries. The chairman of the arts and crafts committee, Mrs. Samuel Herrick, in charge of the display, will be assisted by Mrs. John Jay O'Connor, Mrs. Merle Thorpe, Mrs. Howard LeRoy, Mrs. Walter Distler, Miss Mary L. McQuade and Mrs. Lawrence F. Schmeckebier.

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Women's Clubs Present Christmas Play



"The Prince of Peace," a play in ten episodes, dealing with the life of Christ, was presented last night at the Roosevelt High School auditorium, under the auspices of the D. C. Federation of Women's Clubs. In the first scene are shown Maud Howell Smith on the throne, as the Queen of Israel, with three attendants, Margaret Kramer, at the left; Becky Allister, at the right, and Frances Green, kneeling. Mrs. Minnie Frost Rands is author of the play

Red Cross Unit Parley Opens

Members of the National Volunteer Service Committee of the American Red Cross are meeting at national headquarters here in a two-day conference on volunteer work. Miss Mabel Boardman, national director, presided at the session yesterday and discussed methods of training in the nine volunteer services. Last night she entertained the group at dinner at her home.

Miss Boardman told the committee the International Committee of the Red Cross conference, meeting in London last June, recommended that the other 50 Red Cross societies of the world extend opportunities for the women in their nations to organize for emergency or for war work along the lines adopted by the American Red Cross.

"When abnormal conditions occur we must have trained civilian groups to augment the trained forces," Miss Boardman said. "The American Red Cross gives this type of training to women volunteers through its nine services. We feel that one of the best ways to serve at home, as well as to build morale, is to occupy women in worthwhile work while their men may be engaged in emergency operations. This applies to disaster relief work, as well as to other abnormal emergencies."

Miss Boardman said that the American Red Cross was congratulated at the international conference on its services "which combined ideals and common sense."

The nine courses which are being studied at the two-day conference are the Gray Ladies, Health Aid Corps, Administration, Home Service Corps, Canteen Corps, Production Corps, Braille Corps, Production Corps and Staff Assistance Corps. Women volunteers in these corps all are uniformed and must take instruction courses. Miss Boardman pointed out that the women to qualify for this volunteer work must have strict discipline. During the past year, volunteer services were carried on by 197,397 persons, who gave a total of 2,539,101 hours of service in Red Cross chapters.

The conference was given a practical demonstration of the canteen service of the District of Columbia Chapter, which served lunch at the chapter house yesterday.

Mrs. William Howard Taft and Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, honorary vice chairmen of the committee, attended the session. Other members present were: Mrs. Robert C. Barnard, Cincinnati, Ohio; Miss Mary Beard, Mrs. John Allan Dougherty, and Miss Boardman, of Washington; Mrs. Charles F. Buck, Jr., New Orleans; Mrs. E. G. Buckland, New Haven, Conn.; Mrs. George H. Capen, St. Louis; Mrs. Henry Brinton Cox, Philadelphia; Mrs. George B. Evans, Rosemont, Pa.; Mrs. Julius W. Freeman, Baltimore; Mrs. A. L. Humphrey, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Mrs. Charles G. King, Chicago, Ill.; Mrs. Douglas A. Lee, Shreveport, La.; Mrs. David Oakes, Bloomfield, N. J.; Mrs. Fred M. Orr, Youngstown, Ohio; Mrs. Clough C. Overton, New York; Mrs. William B. Parker, Brooklyn; Mrs. Mortimer Platt, Fort Worth; Mrs. Henry R. Rea, Sewickley, Pa.; Miss Harriet A. Robeson and Mrs. James N. Rothwell, Boston; Mrs. Irene Sidley and Mrs. Frederic W. Upham, Chicago; Mrs. Thomas S. Wheelwright, Buckhead Springs, Va.; Mrs. Clifford B. Wilson, Bridgeport, Conn.

Miss Boardman entertained the members at dinner in her home Thursday evening.

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MRS. JESSE W. NICHOLSON and her daughter, Miss Dorothy Nicholson, yesterday entertained at luncheon at their Chevy Chase home in honor of Mrs. Heber Votaw, sister of President Harding. She is president of the Chevy Chase Pen Women.

Among the guests were Mrs. Burton K. Wheeler, Mrs. Inez Sheldon Tyler, president of the D. C. Pen Women; Mrs. Blanch Smith Ferguson, of Baltimore; Mrs. Ernest Humphrey Daniel, president of the D. C. Federation of Women's Clubs; Mrs. Emma W. P. Slack, Mrs. Lucia Ramsey Maxwell, and Mrs. Jennie Esmond Wright.

WITH CHRISTMAS COMING but once a year and the meetings of the D. C. Federation of Women's Clubs every month, Mrs. Ernest Humphrey Daniel, federation president, decided the letter was in opposition to compete with the former. Therefore, she has advanced the date of the December meeting from December 26 to Monday, December 19, when it will be held, as usual, at the Roosevelt Hotel.

Miss Janet Richards will address the afternoon meeting on the Lima Conference.

YESTERDAY Mrs. Hrye Van Arsdale's War Veterans' Committee met to make plans for providing a Christmas for the veterans. She has issued an appeal for bedside bags for patients. There is also need for cigarettes, she says.

Those who gathered yesterday to talk over Christmas plans included Mrs. Lloyd W. Morrison, chairman of the Department of American Citizenship of the federation, under which Mrs. Van Arsdale's committee serves; Mrs. Otto Hammerlund, vice chairman; Mrs. W. Sloan, Mrs. H. King Stone and Mrs. Johan Kondrup.

THE WOMEN'S ALLIANCE of All Souls' Unitarian Church will have its only December meeting today at 11 o'clock. Following the business meeting and Mrs. W. Sloan, Mrs. H. King Stone and Mrs. Johan Kondrup.

Service Counselor Addresses Home Economics Group

Home service workers in the public utility must be the diplomats, de luxe, members of the Home Economics Association were told last night by Miss Jessie McQueen, home service counselor for the American Gas Association. Miss McQueen addressed the association at a dinner at the A. A. U. W. clubhouse, sponsored by the Home Economics Women in Business of which Mrs. Ann Sullivan Hagan is chairman.

She described the capacities in which the home service workers serve—giving lecture demonstrations on the use of stoves, refrigerators and other appliances; conducting cooking schools and solving problems for the housewife learning to use new equipment. Often they are called in on an emergency such as a new refrigerator which won't make ice, cubes, said Miss McQueen, only to find no water in the ice trays, or a refrigerator which will not refrigerate because the tidy housewife has put paper on its shelves, preventing the circulation of air.

The number of young women entering the home service field is increasing, she said, and there is a growing recognition of the value of such departments among public utilities.

Mrs. N. R. Ellis, president of the Home Economics Association, opened the meeting and Mrs. Hagan introduced Miss McQueen. Other officers present were Mrs. Mary Rokahr, vice president; Miss Sue Frick, treasurer; Mrs. Ralph Phillips, recording secretary; Mrs. Hazel Schertz, corresponding secretary.

Among the guests were E. J. Boothby, vice president of the Washington Gas Co., and Mrs. Boothby; A. J. Maloney, assistant sales manager, and Wilnot Squier, advertising manager of the same company; Earl G. Rogers, manager of the F. O. Co., John H. Dodge, commercial manager of N. B. C. in Washington, and Mrs. Katherine Ansley, executive secretary of the American Home Economics Association.

Beauty Smooth Walk Takes Years Off Appearance

Women Are Dated
By Short Steps As
More Than 45

By Ida Jean Kain.

IT MUST have been someone with a keen understanding of feminine nature who was responsible for the law enabling New York's women voters to put down 21 plus on their registration blanks. This arrangement for evading the age question was passed along with the law giving women the right to vote and we have exercised the privilege so consistently that now the registration clerks automatically put down 21 plus. In fact, there seems to be a general feeling that the only time a woman is eager to put her age on record is when she is applying for a pension.

Pursuing this question of age and the woman right into the jury room, where the law insists on knowing the exact figure, we find that women run true to form and that their first inclination, even then, are to fib a little.

So it's on record that we fib about our age. Now, the question is, do we look the age we give? It is a woman's privilege to clip off a few years, provided she looks as young as she says she is. That is how the movie stars get away with it. There is no point in a star admitting she is 40 when she looks less than 30!

But there is no use in saying you look younger when you actually look older than you are. Here are the telling points . . . Do you have a young walk and posture? If you take short, mincing steps, jerking the knees and pointing the toes out, then you are dated by your walk as more than 45.

A smooth walk, with the body moved as a unit, legs swung from the hips, toes pointed straight ahead, and your body stretched as tall as possible, takes years off the appearance.

Excess Weight Pads Age

And then, is your waistline the same as it was when you were 25? Or has a roll settled between the waist and hipbone? It's no use giving your age as younger when your waist is thick and stodgy. Excess weight pads your age and extreme thinness adds wrinkles. Your normal healthy weight is always the most flattering.

It is my candid opinion that no woman minds telling her age when she doesn't look it, and that the women who fib about their age actually are—or need to look—older.

Any woman today can look a good five years younger than she is and many of them look 10 years younger. Do you?

Women Voters Eye Lima Parley

The National League of Women Voters, now beginning a year's expansion campaign, has issued a call to its membership to follow closely the proceedings of the Eighth International Conference of American States, opening today at Lima, Peru.

Miss Margaret M. Wells, president, declared, "At a time when force or the threat of force has taken the place of peaceful settlement of disputes in Europe and in the Far East, all eyes must focus on Lima for the strengthening of peace machinery among the democracies of the Western Hemisphere."

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Wives of the Washington members of the federation will also give a tea and reception for wives of the visiting delegates tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. David Bloom, in Arlington, Va. The women will visit the model housing project at Buckingham and will be conducted on a tour of the city.

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Vandenberg Favors Plan To Omnit Levy When Road Buys in Securities

By the Associated Press

Three Senate Finance Committee members said yesterday they favored helping the railroads reduce their interest burden under a plan involving income tax concessions. Such a proposal was incorporated in the 1938 tax bill as it passed the Senate, but House objections eliminated it.

Under the plan the Government would waive income taxes on any paper profits which might result when the railroads bought their own securities at less than par.

Senator Vandenberg (Republican), Michigan, said he thought the proposal might go a long way toward enabling the railroads to reduce interest charges on long-term obligations.

Truman Doubtful

Senator Herring (Democrat), Iowa, called it "a possible way out of the railroad problem," and Senator King (Democrat), Utah, said he would support it if there was a safeguard to preserve private operation of the carriers.

On the other hand, Senator Truman (Democrat), Missouri, of the Railroad Finance Investigating Committee expressed doubt that the proposal was practical. He said most of the carriers could not obtain funds for such purchases.

Leo M. Cherne, executive secretary of the Tax Research Institute of America, suggested to the Senate Profit Sharing Committee that railroads be permitted to purchase their outstanding interest bearing obligations during 1939 and 1940 without incurring income tax liability.

New Bonds Suggested

Vandenberg called the proposal "absolutely sound."

"You and I," he said, "can go into the market and buy railroad securities for 20 cents on the dollar. When the railroad does that, though, it has to pay income tax on the 80 cents 'paper profit' that it makes."

Vandenberg suggested some of the railroads could float new bond issues to finance the purchase of their old securities if the tax were removed.

Truman, however, expressed belief the proposal would create a false price for the securities that might defeat the purpose.

"I'm inclined to think," Truman said, "that the Government is going to have to furnish some kind of subsidy if it wants to keep the railroads running."

Merger Parley Refused by FCC

The Federal Communications Commission yesterday refused to sponsor a conference to consider proposals for legislation aimed at effecting a telegraph merger.

The conference was proposed by the trustee in receivership of the Postal Telegraph & Cable Corporation and by an officer of the American Communications Association. The FCC took the view that it has no jurisdiction over mergers of telegraph properties as Congress has not yet acted on a recommendation it made in 1936.

Sponsors of the conference expressed the hope that an agreement could be reached among all interested parties that would lead to legislation giving the FCC such authority as it now has over telephone mergers.

FCC Reorganizes Legal Department

A reorganization of the legal department of the Federal Communications Commission was announced yesterday by William J. Dempsey, general counsel, with no changes in personnel.

Although Chairman Frank R. McNinch has sought to discourage the subdivision of activities of the commission itself and to centralize authority, Dempsey set up three divisions within the legal department. They will deal with (1) common carriers, (2) broadcast matters, and (3) litigation and administration.

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Good-Nighbor Policy Speaks for Itself, Says Welles, Answering Castle Attack

Defends New Deal's Transactions With Latin America

By the Associated Press

Acting Secretary of State Sumner Welles, replying to remarks made by William R. Castle, said yesterday the "good neighbor" policy, insofar as its results upon relations with Latin America were concerned, could "speak for itself."

Castle, who was Undersecretary of State during the Hoover Administration and now is general counsel for the Republican National Committee, in a speech Wednesday night assailed this Government's policies toward Mexico as failing to protect adequately the interests of United States nationals. Castle also said Panama and Costa Rica appeared ready to follow in Mexico's footsteps in disregarding similar interests.

Welles said he saw no phantom on the horizon in either Panama or Costa Rica.

He declared Panamanian Minister Augusto Boyd told him yesterday the Panama Congress had modified its recent banking laws to the satisfaction of Panamanian as well as United States and other interests. He added there appeared to be no menace to banking in Panama.

Welles said he had no information regarding "difficulties" between the American Foreign Power and Electric Bond & Share companies on the one hand and the Costa Rican government.

He said these interests, according to his understanding, did not anticipate any obstacles in the friendly discussions they were holding with the Costa Rican government.

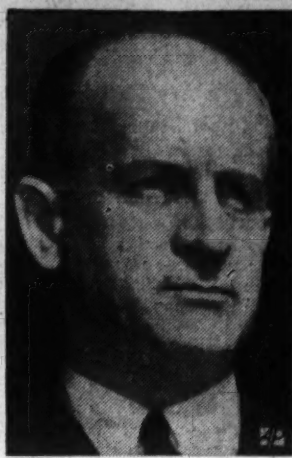
Welles said Castle's statement that no one in the American Government would be willing to predict continuance of the payments after the first installment from the Mexican government for agrarian properties expropriated from United States citizens was wholly unfounded.

Replying to a question on possible "political motives" of Castle, Welles told his press conference, "All I desire to say on that subject is that it would seem to me the good neighbor policy, so far as its results upon relations between the United States and other American republics are concerned, could speak for itself."

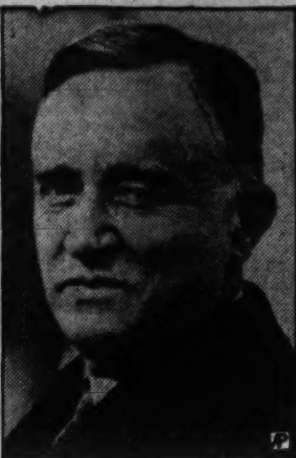
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Welles said the question of Canadian participation in the Pan-American Conference would have to be determined by the conference itself. This was in reply to questions as to whether Canada had been approached regarding participation or sending an observer to the conference.

Welles said this country's official expression of its attitude regarding Canadian participation had been neither requested nor given.



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2 Local Firms Get Building Contracts

Two local firms were awarded contracts yesterday for sewer and school construction under the public works program by the District Commissioners.

The Warren F. Brenizer Co. received a \$87,000 contract to build the Klinge Valley diversion sewer near Connecticut avenue and Macomb streets northwest. F. H. Martell, Inc., was awarded a contract to build an addition to the Whittier School, Fifth and Sheridan streets northwest, at a cost of \$43,800.

Piozet to Direct Navy Personnel

Secretary of the Navy Swanson yesterday announced the appointment of Charles Piozet, of College Heights, Md., as acting director of the division of personnel supervision and management of the Navy Department.

A native of Hyattsville, Piozet has served as chief of the Navy Department division of civil personnel for five years. He is a graduate of George Washington University Law School and has been in the Government service for 32 years.

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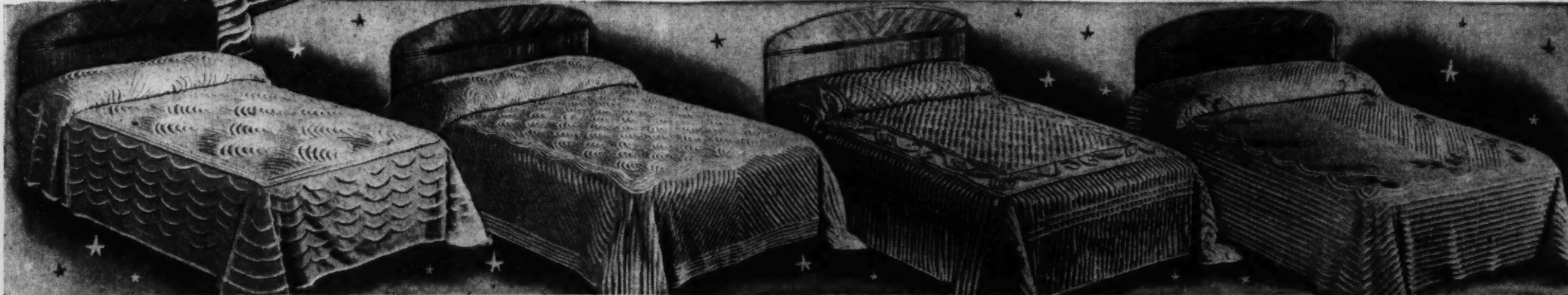
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Five dollars will get you nine if you think Duke will beat Southern California in the Rose Bowl and care to wager on that possibility. If you prefer Southern California, then five of your dollars will net only two if the Trojans win.

These are the odds quoted yesterday by Mr. James J. Carroll, of St. Louis, is the first of the bookmakers to rush into print with the betting figures on the various bowl games. Like all of the competing teams, Mr. Carroll makes money.

Balances Books
Suppose, for example, that the bets on Duke at the 9 to 5 odds are offering total \$1,000. Then Mr. Carroll will attempt to balance his book by accepting \$2,000 in bets on Southern California at 2 to 5. Those are comparatively small sums for a bookie of his standing to handle, but even at those figures he stands to make a \$200 profit be the winner either Duke or Southern Calif.

Here's why, in case you are still a bit befuddled by the figures. Suppose that Duke wins at 2 to 5. Then Carroll returns to Duke bettors their original bets of \$1,000 plus \$1,000 in profits. He takes the \$2,000 pot bet by Southern California supporters and finds himself \$200 ahead on the deal. Similarly, if Southern California wins, he takes the \$1,000 posted by Duke bettors and pays off the winners at 2 to 5. That means an \$800 payoff and \$200 for Mr. Carroll.

With the bookmakers, there is no such criterion as an even-money favorite in any bet involving two competitors. That can happen only in a friendly and informal wager. For the bookmakers there would be no percentage in offering even money on any bet. If two football teams do, for example, shape up as even-money bets, then the bookmakers will quote you "4 to 5" and pick 'em.

It is their lingo which means he will lay \$4 against your \$5 and give you the option of taking either team. If you take the 4 to 5, you are assured a profit, which he can do by "laying off" to other bookies, a preponderance of bets on either team.

Tennessee Favorite
But getting back to the Bowl games, Mr. Carroll has made Texas Christian and Tennessee overwhelming favorites as well as Southern California. "Texas Christian will be 1 to 3 over Carnegie Tech in the Sugar Bowl," says Carroll. "I am taking bets on Carnegie at 2 to 1 against Oklahoma."

At those figures the betting is brisk, according to Carroll, and he has accepted sizable bets on Tennessee to beat Oklahoma in the Orange Bowl at 1 to 3 and Tennessee to beat Mississippi at any price, even the 5 to 1 odds offered.

Betting Country
The heaviest football betting was done by folks in the Southwestern oil belt, including Kansas, Amarillo, Tex., and Shreveport, La., says Carroll, who adds that "Southern Illinois has developed into a steam-hot betting country."

Other bookmakers have made the same statements to this department. Oil-rich Texans and Oklahomans are notoriously heavy plungers, and Carroll's reference to Southern Illinois as a betting center is not surprising. The recent oil field developments in the Southern part of the State have set off a terrific boom and big money is changing hands there daily.

There has been much hue and cry about the increase in football betting, but a considerable part of the bookie's yearly business is baseball bets. In fact, the baseball wagering has surpassed the horse bets in many localities. Although the big league officials do not like to admit it, baseball wagering has spread widely.

Left to Big Boys
Unlike the football and horse bets, however, the baseball bets are rarely booked by the small betting commissioners. They are "laid off" to a few vast syndicates who dictate the odds. Virtually all of the baseball betting in the East is funneled into the office of one bookmaker with headquarters in Jersey City, who will cover a bet as high as \$25,000 on a single game.

No such single bet could be made on a single football game or a horse race, but it is possible in baseball because it can be laid off to the syndicate which handles the baseball betting of an entire section of the country and thus is able to "balance its book" without difficulty.

The willingness of bookmakers to handle such large baseball bets is, in fact, a tribute to the honesty of the game. It must be remembered that they do not make the bets; they simply quote the odds and book the bets. They would not continue long to handle such sums if they were "burned" on a bet that looked suspicious. Twenty years of big league baseball without the faintest suspicion of a betting scandal is pretty fair testimony that the game is on the level.

Georgetown Cagers Trim Western Maryland, 46-23

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Hoyas Open Season With 46-23 Victory

Georgetown Scores Impressive Triumph Over Western Maryland at Tech Gym; Joe Murphy Is Outstanding Player

The Green Terrors of Western Maryland University proved verdant rather than terrifying in a basketball way last night at Tech gymnasium, as Georgetown rolled up a 23-12 half-time lead and won its first start of the season, 46-23.

Coach Elmer Ripley, of the Hoyas, threw almost three complete teams into the Western Maryland game, each team adding to Georgetown's eventual margin. Western Maryland, according to the student manager, had been able to practice only three days for this, its first game of the season.

Capt. Joe Murphy, one of the two senior cagers of the Hoyas, was outstanding in the point scoring division with eight, three field goals and a couple of successful foul shots.

Johnny McGowan, lanky center up from last year's undefeated frosh five, came second with 7 points. Despite its lack of time for drills, the Terrors displayed a bit of team play seldom seen in squads after a long seige of practice. Don Honeman, diminutive forward, seemed to run circles around the larger Hoyas, accounting for 6 of his team's 23 points. Capt. John Tomich was also a factor in limiting the team's loss to a mere 23 points.

In Coach Ripley's second team the foundation of next year's strong first team was seen. Red Daly, George Pajak, and Matusza were the best of the lot. It was Matusza, a tall pivot man, who continued to count baskets for the Hoyas after the first string had been called to the sidelines. He scored five points in no more than ten minutes of actual action.

The Terrors began the scoring early in the first period, making it appear that Georgetown was in for a difficult session. Tomich dropped a snow bird neatly between the cords almost before the 500-odd spectators had been seated. Honeman came to the foul line for a one-point shot soon afterward, but the shot was wide and Georgetown finally started rolling.

A Scoring Spree!
Ed Kurtyka dropped a long one from outside the foul zone and in quick succession Irving Rizzi scored two baskets. McGowan scored a basket and a foul throw, and Murphy added a basket. The Hoyas were never in the rear after that. Western Maryland underwent a wild scoring spree that brought the count up to 12-8, but that was the closest the Terrors were ever able to get. Murphy Schmitt and Kurtyka again hit the basket for a field goal apiece, putting the game safely on ice. Despite the fact that second string players worked throughout the closing minutes of the half, Georgetown continued to draw away.

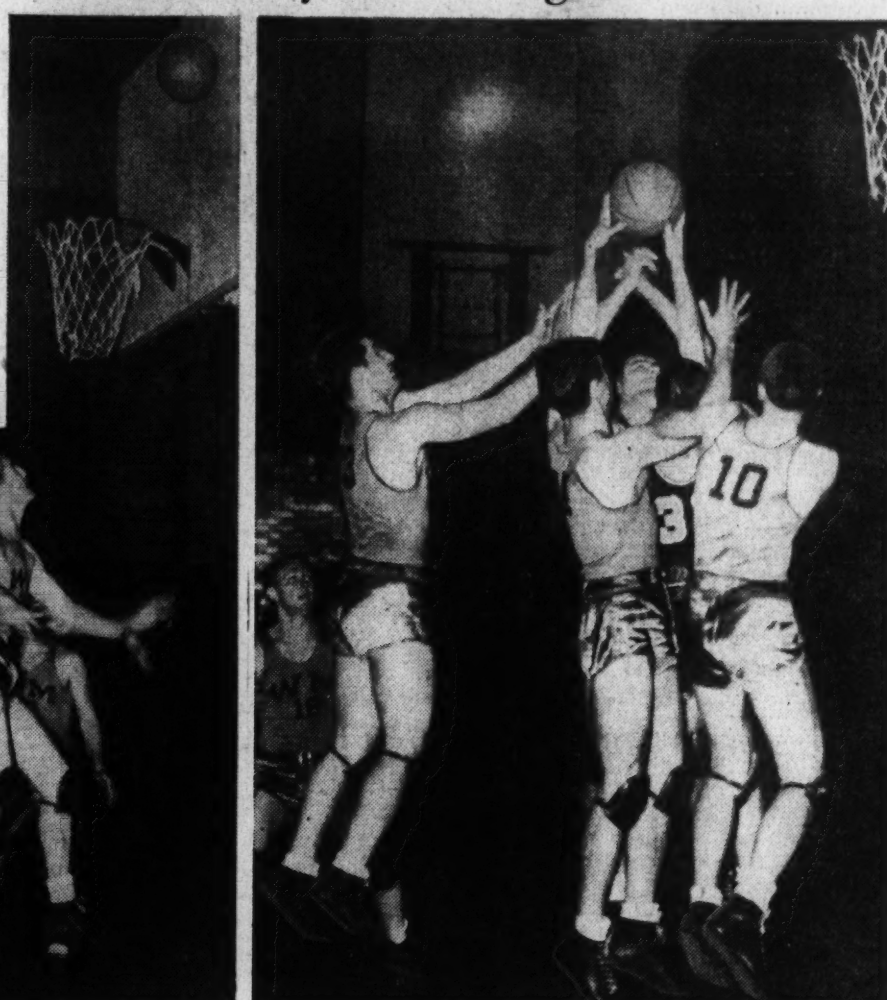
Whatever hopes the Terrors might have entertained about winning the game were definitely put to rest after the halftime whistle, when each of the Hoyas took a turn at the basket. Coach Ripley decided their lead was safe no matter what happened, put his No. 2 crew in and allowed them to play most of the second half. Late in the period, however, four more potential court stars were turned loose on the floor and the massacre continued.

Western Maryland fell down sadly in the foul shot department, sinking but one out of four attempts. Georgetown did somewhat better.

Despite the large number of fouls called, the game was a clean hard-fought one. Though considerably

See HOYAS, Page 28, Column 2.

Action in Hoyas' First Cage Game of Year



The Georgetown basketball team opened its 1938-39 season at Tech High gym last night with a 46-23 victory over Western Maryland. Left: Honeman, of Western Maryland, registers a goal for his team in the second period. Right: A scramble for the ball has Wallace and Tomich, of Western Maryland, fighting with a group of Hoyas that includes Matusza, Murphy and Evans.

Minors O.K. Major Deals On Sandlots

New Orleans, Dec. 8.—Major league clubs tonight could hire directly all the sandlotters their budgets permitted, so far as minor leagues were concerned.

The thirty-seventh annual convention of the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues adopted an amendment permitting major league clubs to sign sandlotters. Minor league executives believed the amendment would eradicate "subterfuge" in the "Baltimore agreement" between majors and minors adopted in Montreal two years ago.

The action of the Association of Minor Leagues still was subject to approval of the majors.

Trades of ball players and rumors of swaps and purchases remained in the spotlight of the meeting.

The Chicago Cubs bought pitcher

See MINORS, Page 27, Column 4.

Neil Boxing Medal Awarded to Dempsey

Old Mauler Blushes as He Receives Award Perpetuating Memory of Noted Sports Writer, Killed on Spanish War Assignment

(A Wirephoto of Jack Dempsey shortly after he received the award appears on Page 27.)

New York, Dec. 8.—The first Edward J. Neil memorial medal, perpetuating the memory of the grand boxing writer and Associated Press war correspondent who was killed in Spain a year ago, was awarded today to Jack Dempsey as the man who has done most for the fight game in 1938.

The New York Boxing Writers' Association, donor of the medal, made the award to the former heavyweight king after deciding it should go annually to the boxer, past or present, who has meant most to the sport in the current year.

Dempsey, as shy as a schoolboy, at first refused nomination for the award, protesting it should go to a fighter active in the game. However, Jack finally accepted after a discussion among the writers during which it was pointed out that such an action would be too confining; that Dempsey, in all his activities still associated with the fight game—as referee, manager and speaker—is constantly working for the betterment of the game, and that to fight fans throughout the world he is the No. 1 figure of the sport.

Even when he finally accepted, Dempsey maintained he did not deserve it.

"I still think you're making a mistake, fellows," he told the writers. "Thanks a million, though. It's the finest thing I ever got."

The writers, balloting at their regular meeting, voted Henry Armstrong, only simultaneous three-division champion in fight history, honorable mention for the award.

In addition to Dempsey, Gene Tunney and Lou Nova, promising heavyweight from California, were also on hand. Both Dempsey and Tunney advised Ray Carlin, Nova's manager, not to bring the blond hunk along too fast.

"You have to take time with these young fellows," said Dempsey. "I can say for myself that I only started to learn the fight game after I left the ring. You can't give the youngsters too much experience."

Clemson's Coach To Speak Here

Coach Jess Neely, of the Clemson College football team which lost only to Tennessee this past season, will be present at a meeting of the Washington Chapter of the Clemson Alumni Association at Taylor's 951 Maine avenue southwest, next Monday, December 12, at 6:30 p. m., and will sketch the highlights of the important games played last fall.

Coach Neely will have motion pictures of the Tulane, South Carolina, and Tennessee games, which will be of unusual interest to the Washington alumni who were unable to attend. Members are welcome to bring interested guests.

Rangers Win, 6-5

Montreal, Dec. 8 (AP).—The New York Rangers tonight moved to within a point of the National Hockey League lead by defeating the Montreal Canadiens, 6-5.

Indian Bows To Terror In Mat Event

By Lewis F. Atchison.

The Golden Terror laid a lug last night at the Arena—laid him flat on his back and left him yelling for mercy after 20½ minutes of crude bone-crushing in the feature debate of the weekly Mull and Maul Club at the Arena.

It isn't pleasant to refer to Jules Strongbow, the husky Oklahoma Indian as a lug, but he looked the part last night in capitulating to the Terror—a flat-foot flugey of first water. Strongbow finally bawled "nuff" after Strongbow clamped a punishing hammer-lock on his reddened arm, culminating a series of odd gymnastics in the corner.

The Terror, by some inexplicable maneuver, clamped his fat hands on Strongbow's meaty right arm, edged him into a corner and brought the arm down over the ring struts as if to break it up and divide the pieces with Walter Gray. Strongbow, it developed, is made of stern and sound stuff, and the arm held.

Yell for Fair Play

A half-dozen times the Terror repeated this maneuver, throwing Strongbow from the inclosure early in the game, kicking him in the tummy, ribs and back when Jules attempted to make a comeback. The audience yelled for fair play, but he was nowhere to be found, and Strongbow had to go it alone. And out he went, pleading for mercy. The Terror merely laughed, adjusted

See WRESTLE, Page 27, Column 3.

Max Farrington Is Named Sports Head at G. W.

Max Farrington, acting director of athletics at George Washington University, will succeed James E. Pixlee, as director of the department with the opening of the second semester, February 1. Farrington, now associate professor of physical education, will also be the executive officer in that department, as well as responsible for the direction of competitive athletics.

Prof. Pixlee will assist President Cloyd Heck Marvin in the development of alumni activities and the university's field house when he returns from a sabbatical leave February 1.

The athletic plan under Farrington will encourage local and nearby Eastern and Southern rivalries, in place of the one and two year agreements with intersectional rivals, that have monopolized the Colonials' schedules the past few years.

With alumni in every State and because of the cosmopolitan nature of the George Washington student body, one or two games with schools in remote sections of the country will be retained in each sport.

Clubs Must Await Report on Waivers

Griffith Says No Action on Deal Will Be Taken Until Other Clubs Waive on Zeke; Denies \$20,000 Is Involved in Transaction

The Bonura-to-Giants deal, the most talked of and guessed-at transaction of major league baseball's recent player activities, will definitely break today.

Despite the fact that various sources have reported consummation of the trade, President Clark Griffith, of the Nats, told The Post last night that no action has been taken and that none will be until after the American League clubs have acted on the waivers today.

The office of President William Harridge of the American League in Chicago will receive reports on the waivers asked by the Nats on Bonura. Although various sources have reported two clubs to be holding up the deal, official notice on the attitude of the other teams will not be definitely known until today.

Reports current yesterday that the deal had gone through and that Griffith would get \$20,000 and a young player for Big Zeke were branded immature by the Nats' owner last night.

Waiver Reports Due Today

"I don't know where that \$20,000 business came from," Griffith told The Post. "It certainly didn't come from me."

"Reports on the waiver are not due at the office of Mr. Harridge until Friday—that's tomorrow. Mr. Harridge will let me know the attitude of the other clubs, but he will not make the news public."

"You can rest certain that the deal will not go through until the major league meeting in New York next week."

"If Bonura is waived out of the league, and I won't know until tomorrow, I will, of course, be ready to use him as trading material. The Giants have been in touch with me on the subject and, if the American League doesn't want Zeke, I'll be glad to give him to the Giants for the best trade I can make."

Seeks Strength

"My object is to strengthen the Nats for next year. I won't be interested in money, especially a sum like \$20,000, as much as I will be in young players. If the Giants and I can get together on a deal something like that, it is likely that Bonura will be at the Polo Grounds next year."

The Giants have been in touch with him since rumors of the trade began circulating, Griffith said. He also said that while the trade is not strictly an orthodox practice, it can be pulled through provided other league clubs don't want Bonura.

Reports earlier this week indicated that the Chicago White Sox and Connie Mack's Philadelphia team were holding up the deal. Reports said that all other clubs had indicated they weren't interested in Bonura.

Bonura in Spotlight

Informed baseball circles, however, were reluctant to believe that the deal would actually go through. "It's impossible," men of long experience in the national game were saying as late as yesterday.

Meanwhile, in New Orleans, the big Italian was the center of attention at the minor league meeting. Thrust suddenly into the center of the winter trading limelight despite a poor season with the Nats, Bonura relished every ounce of attention lavished on him. The Associated Press reported last night:

"I like Washington," the A. P. reports Bonura as saying, "but I like New York. There's more dough there. I like Chicago, too. And I like Pittsburgh. Also Detroit."

It appears rather definite that Bonura will not be with Washington next year. Just where he will be will not be known until today—perhaps until next week.

On the Block



Associated Press WIREPHOTO.

Judging from this picture, Zeke Bonura, Nats' first-stringer, seems anxious to leave the Washington club. He is shown here posing on a butcher's block while the New York Giants and other clubs are considering a deal for the big first baseman at the baseball meeting at New Orleans.

Cal's Valet Wins In Cage League

Cal's Valet won a close game, 30-26, in one of the three games played in the Southeast Community Center League last night. The victor was Social Security. Swift, guard of the Valet quint, was high point man with 7 points.

In the other two games, Peoples Drug Store defeated Christ Church, 25-24, and Falls Church beat O'Donnell's, 35-34.

Cal's Valet	G. P. P. Sec. Security	G. P. P. Black	G. P. P. Peoples	G. P. P. Falls	G. P. P. O'Donnell
Black	2	3	4	1	1
Smith	3	0	6	1	0
Moulton	2	1	5	0	3
Walsh	2	4	1	2	0
Muchis	2	0	4	0	1
Swift	3	1	4	0	1
Totals	13	4	30	10	6
Peop. Drug	3	0	4	1	1
Underwood	3	0	4	1	1
Peck	3	0	4	1	1
Morrow	3	0	4	1	1
Allison	3	0	4	1	1
Pierce	3	0	4	1	1
Lanham	3	0	4	1	1
Durst	3	0	4	1	1
Stroupe	3	0	4	1	1
Totals	11	3	25	10	6
Referee—Haas					
Falls Ch.	3	0	4	1	1
M. Martin	3	0	4	1	1
W. E. Martin	3	0	4	1	1
Butler	3	0	4	1	1
Thomas	3	0	4	1	1
C. Barnard	3	0	4	1	1
D. Martin	3	0	4	1	1
Wells	3	0	4	1	1
Goode	3	0	4	1	1
Totals	25	3	35	10	6
Referee—Cohan					

A Trade Mixup! Engel Was Wrong

New Orleans, Dec. 8 (AP).—Said Joe Engel, president of the Chattanooga Baseball Club, to new Manager Kiki Cuyler: "Get us a first baseman." Cuyler hustled out, signed Roy Mort from Hollywood.

Engel promptly forgot his request to Cuyler and bought Alex Hooks from Montreal. When the oversupply was discovered today, Joe decided Mort was surplus and sold him to Dallas.



FARRINGTON

Down In Front

By Richards Vidmer

Old Acquaintance

New York, Dec. 8.—The late great Will Rogers used to say that all he knew was what he read in the papers. But he always grinned when he said it. So here are three stories which are mere recitals of facts on the surface, but maybe you can make something of them.

Fifteen years ago there was a quaint little college in a North Carolina town. It was a picturesque place where boys and girls strolled across the campus, beneath the trees, laughed and played and studied. It was called "Trinity." It was affectionately called "Old Trinity" by those who knew it. But very few people beyond the borders of the State ever had heard of it.

And then a very wealthy resident of this little town in North Carolina died and left a legacy to the little college. His name was Duke. So the college became a University and Old Trinity became Duke.

It wasn't long before everybody was talking about Duke University. It turned out a football team that began attracting attention and one of the first things it did was to go out to the Middle West and hire a prominent coach. They selected Howard Jones, of the University of Iowa.

Howard Jones was a coach of established reputation to play the best in the land. And Duke was delighted to get him. But after a year something happened which never has been completely explained. One version is that when the football season ended, Mr. Jones took a pleasure trip to the Pacific Coast, found the weather delightful, job waiting for him and just never went back.

Anyway he's still out there on the Coast, and the Duke football team which he left behind is headed in that direction to play in the Rose Bowl game on January 2. It will play Southern California, which happens to be coached by Howard Jones.

Breath of Freshness
At this time of year, from various points of the compass, some brief interviews with baseball players who are enjoying the off season, and it is significant that almost invariably the athlete is looking forward to a banner campaign ahead.

"I figure I'm going to have the greatest year of my career. I'm in great shape right now and I feel as though I could win twenty times as many games as last year. I ought to win 25 games at least."

This is the sort of statement that comes trickling out of the outposts almost daily. It doesn't matter if the player had a poor record last season, or hurt his arm, or was sold to a second division club for the waiver price. The next year is always going to be his greatest.

But the other day some representative of the National Football League in Port Worth, Texas, asked a question, possibly his penicillin to jot down the usual reply, and probably was stunned when the great left-handed pitcher of the Giants said, in effect:

"There's no use trying to kid myself. I know I've lost the zip from my pitching arm. I don't know, maybe it will be all right, maybe I can get along with a change of pace, but the old zip just isn't there any longer."

And Still They Come
Until a few years ago there was an element among the football public which took keen delight in pointing to the number of players on the Army team who had played previously at other colleges. They insisted that these boys went to West Point only because they could continue to play football. The authorities at West Point maintained that the course was too stiff, the requirements too rigid at the academy for any fellow to enter for the sole and simple purpose of prolonging his playing career. They said these lads entered the military academy because they wanted to become Army officers.

And the cynics smiled. Then West Point adopted the three-year varsity rule that prevails in other colleges and universities. It was no longer possible for anyone who had played three years of football to continue to compete as a representative of West Point. And the cynics continued to smile. They said a lot of lads who had expressed the desire to go to West Point would change their minds. There was Hinkle, captain and all-American center at Vanderbilt in 1937. And there was Guckeyson, who had been an outstanding player at Maryland. Both had said they were going to West Point.

Hinkle entered last June, knowing he never would be allowed to play football for the Army. He's there now, just another cadet in the corps. "And one of the most outstanding players I've ever seen," an officer proclaimed the other day. "He has it. He's a natural leader, a fine student and even as a plebe he has been prominent. I really wouldn't be surprised if he is first captain before he gets through."

And what about Guckeyson? He had entered the academy a year before and flunked out. He had the opportunity to re-enter, but, of course, he wouldn't with the new three-year rule in effect. But Guckeyson is back again, also, still with the ambition to become an Army officer, which no one can doubt now.

Someone once said that the best football players who have gone to West Point never have played on the team. There are two of the best, and they never will.

Poole Gets Post
Martinsville, Va., Dec. 8 (AP).—Jimmy Poole, of Mooresville, N. C., former Philadelphia Athletics first baseman but in recent years a minor league manager and player, was named manager today of Martinsville's 1939 Bi-State League club.

Army Cards Four Shows In 3 Months

1st Show at Ft. Myer Dec. 14-15; 6 Classes On Evening's Card Military Exhibition

By Hotspur.

The winter horse show season will open December 14 at the Fort Myer riding hall for two evenings of jumping and hunting classes. This is the first of four shows to be held during the 1938-39 season by the Army. The tentative dates for those to follow are January 25, February 22 and March 15.

Horse fans and horse exhibitors have been eagerly looking forward for the first announcement of these shows which have become outstanding sporting events of the Capital's winter season. As conducted by the artillery and cavalry officers of Fort Myer, the shows are noted for the excellent arrangements and the quality of the horses entered in the classes. In addition to the jumping events the programs are always enlivened by a military exhibition given by some of the excellent units that make up the Fort Myer command.

State Six Classes

There will be six classes on each evening's program. On Monday, December 14, the first class will be student's team jumping, which is a championship event and will run through all four shows of the winter horse show series. The class is open to one or more teams of four bona fide students, boy or girl, of any school which maintains riding as a regular organized activity of the school.

The award in this class is the handsome Arlington Hall School trophy which was first competed for during last winter's show and was won by the Pennsylvania Military School team over teams from the Virginia Military Institute, Arlington Hall and other prominent schools.

Other classes on the opening night are those for working hunters, open hunters, touch and out, handicap jumping and road or park hacks. Student team jumping leads off on the second evening's program followed by the touch and out, working hunters, road or park hacks, open hunters and handicap jumping.

Good Horses Named

Among the favorably known hunters and jumpers of this vicinity that are entering the show are: Lieut. John R. Pugh's Sir Conrad, Margaret Cotter's Rockie and U. S. Randall's string, fresh from their triumphs at the National Horse Show at Madison Square Garden; Fenton Fadelley, Jr.'s Apple Jack and Headrock, Mrs. Nancy McDowell's Modern Melody and Gay Melody, Carl Eichel's Drill, Lisbeth Steig's Hi Ho; Capt. Henri A. Luberger's Billy Do, Fred J. Hughes Jr.'s Black Caddy, Mrs. Gardner Holman's Lady Jack, Chas. H. Carrio's Recall and Hunger Marcher, Fritz B. Kleeman's good string, Capt. John Meade's Dansoux and many other performers that have made history, including the fine jumpers of the Fort Myer Horse Show team.

The officers of the Fort Myer Winter Horse Shows, Col. George E. Patton, jr., president; Lieut. Col. William C. Crane, vice president; Lieut. Col. A. W. Roffe, manager; Capt. J. H. Collier, secretary and treasurer; Lieut. Col. James R. Sperry, Entertainment. The executive committee is composed of Col. George S. Patton, jr., chairman; Lieut. Col. William C. Crane, Lieut. Col. A. W. Roffe, Capt. J. H. Collier and Capt. John Meade.

Hoya Prep Riflers In National Event
The Georgetown Prep No. 1 Rifle Team of Garrett Park, Md., firing in the semifinals of the National Junior Championship Trophy, scored 484 out of a possible 500 for nineteenth place among the "B" division teams, according to tabulations just announced at headquarters of the National Rifle Association, sponsors of the nationwide competition.

One hundred and seventy-five teams are firing in the series of four preliminary matches of this fall, which are considered warm-up bouts to determine each team's handicap position before the opening barrage of January 21 sets off a 12 week's schedule for State and national titles. The current series, however, is concluded with the firing next week will pay off in trophies and medals for leaders of each division.

Generals Pick Boisseau

Lexington, Va., Dec. 8 (AP).—Dick Boisseau, Petersburg, Va., tonight was elected captain of Washington and Lee's 1939 football forces. He succeeds Bill Brown, of Toledo, Ohio.

Yankee, Red Sox Hurlers Led in 'Whitewashing'

Chicago, Dec. 8.—The best whitewashers in the American League during the 1938 baseball season turned out to be the New York Yankees and Boston Red Sox pitching staffs.

Records announced today by the league's service bureau showed Yankee hurlers had shut out rivals 11 times during the campaign, while the Red Sox recorded ten "whitewash" jobs. The Yankees were blanked only twice, and the Red Sox humiliated four times.

On the other end of the list were Jimmy Dykes' injury-riddled White Sox (who were shut out nine times during the season.) Philadelphia, Washington and Cleveland were blanked seven times each.

The whitewash "jinxes" of the year were those held by Yankee pitchers over Washington, Red Sox pitchers over Cleveland, Washington hurlers over the Athletics and the Indians' staff over Detroit. In each case, these fingers registered three shut-outs over their rivals during the season.

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Wrestle

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His feindish black mask and strode majestically to the dressing room. All of the other matches were well received, especially Walter Percy's 26-minute victory over Casey Berger, accomplished by avoiding Berger's intended back-drop and rolling on him for the count. The pair presented bona fide wrestling at its best, going from one hold to another without hesitation, and the fans gave them a round of applause.

Singh Is Beaten
Nanjo Singh, the barefoot Hindu, wore shoes, but this bit of strategy was squandered when the dusky warrior was disqualified after 15 minutes of roughness by Referee Cyclone Burns. Burns didn't mind him musing up Campfords—a former Western Maryland football star, but when the Hindu gave Cyclone the bum's rush it was the final straw.

Hank Metheny and Hardy Kruscamp went 30 minutes to a draw, and Frank Brown got the program away to a flying start with a 12½ minute decision over Sammy Cohen, scored with the assistance of a series of flying tackles.

Judge W. G. Brumham, czar of the minors from Durham, N. C., objected to the amendment, saying adoption of it would start a "mad race of spending money you haven't got."

Manager Joe Engel of the Chattanooga Lookouts, of the Southern Association, was today's big trader and sold minor league pitcher Johnny Gillo to Nashville and Pitcher Pat Malone to Oakland, Calif.

Brooklyn gave Willie Duke, outfielder, to New Orleans in part payment for "Cotton" George.

Portsmouth, Va., sold infielder Edward Stankey to Syracuse. Josh Billings signed as coach for Jersey City.

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Miss Burton Sets Season Pin Record

Treasury Dept. Bowler Rolls a 151 High Game At Arcadia

Esther Burton, member of the Treasury Department No. 1 team in the Federal Ladies League at Arcadia Bowling Alleys, rolled a new season's high game of 151 last night.

Treasury No. 1 swept high game and high set, with a season's high of 558 in the former and a 1,526 set. William Knorr, Estimates, of the War Department Men's League, also at Arcadia, had high game for the night with 142. Mel Crest, Armies, had a 382 set. Transportation monopolized the team honors with a 583 game and 1,670 set.

Rebecca Baker

Paces Petworth Loop

Rebecca Baker, rolling in the Inter-Society League, at Petworth, paced the league members with a high game of 138 and set of 357. Miss Baker rolls with the Sigma Phi Gamma No. 2 quintet.

Mrs. Douglas Rolls

High Game of 139

Mrs. Florence Douglas, of the Monument Electric team, had high game of 139 and set of 354 in the Silver Spring Ladies League. Mrs. Douglas rolled the team in taking the odd game from Edmunds Opticians.

Other results included Southern Oxygen sweeping three from Reed's Refreshments; Silver Spring Motor Sales winning two and losing one to Coffman Realty; Shepherd Park Restaurant holding its one-game margin over Herb Hendrick's Steam Heating; and the winning two out of three from Congress, and Victoria also winning two of three over Royal Crown Cola.

Home Insurance

Team Paces Loop

Home Insurance Co. paced the Insurance League at Chevy Chase, with a 572 game and 1,624 set. High individual game went to Armenians, with 131, and high set to White, 365. Review's team won honors in the General Accounting Office, A and B Divisions, at Chevy Chase, with a 624 game and 1,659 set. Miller's 148 game and 406 set accounted for the individual high totals.

Kann's Bowlers

Continue to Win

The pace-setting Kann's bowling team held their 34th game lead on first place in the Capital Store League last night at Recreation Alley, when the Avenue Boys pounded out a 2-1 decision over the sixth-place Lansburgh's team. Al Watson, with 350, led the winning charge.

Guy-Curran moved into a second-place deadlock with the Hecht Co. when the Guy-Curran team swept their set from Garfield's.

Other matches: Woodward & Lothrop, defending champions, led by Billy Kingsolver's 387, took the odd skirmish from the Raleigh Haberdasher. Johnny Anderson, with 355, and the second-place Hecht Co. took a 2-1 decision from Jelleffs, while the Credit Bureau took the odd tilt from Hahn Shoes.

Joe Overend Rolls

A 175 Game

Joe Overend, of the league leading General Office team, rolled a 175 game and 378 set in the Capital Transit League, at Takoma, while General Office also had high game totals of 569,605.

The leaders won three from Navy Yard, to preserve their margin, while the second-place Mechanical five swept all three from North-eastern, and third-place Northern Car won three games from South-eastern. Other results included Central Bus winning the odd one from Northern Bus, Southern Bus defeating Western, Brightwood downing Georgetown and Eastern taking two from Track and Roadway.

Home Audit Keeps Its League Lead

Home Audit retained its lead in the Home Owners Loan Bowling League last night at Columbia Alleys despite its two-game loss to Accounting. A single game, now separates the Auditors from the rest of the pack in the league.

Eddie Scheer's 141 game and 370 set was responsible for Budget's two-game triumph over the Legal No. 2 team in the same league. In other rolling matches, Pre-Audit took three games from Property Management, Field Audit nicked Insurance for two more, and finally, Purchase and Supply sunk Legal No. 1 team farther into last place with a two-game victory.

Company F Victor Over Trinity Club

The Company F basketball team of the Hyattsville National Guard scored a 22-16 victory over the Trinity M. E. Eagles last night at the Hyattsville Armory.

O'Neill, forward for Company F, was the high-point scorer of the event with 7 points, with Rankin of Trinity second, with 6 points. Company F's next game is with the Tilton A. C. team of Baltimore. The game will be played at Hyattsville, Sunday.

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Columbia Pro, Cincinnati Mentor Will Play Off for 1st Money at Augusta Today

Augusta, Ga., Dec. 8 (AP).—Fred McLeod, of Cincinnati, with rounds of 80-74-154, and Fred McLeod, of Chevy Chase, Md., with 75-79-154, tied today for first place in the final round of the annual P. G. A. senior's golf tournament.

The 18-hole playoff is scheduled for tomorrow. Although Hackbarth three-putted the sixteenth and seventeenth, he finished with a 74 to register the lowest score in the tourney.

Jack Hutchinson, Golf, Ill., and McLeod led the Seniors into the final 18 with like 75s. Hutchinson, defending champion, competing in Class C, 50 to 54 years, had a bad 83 on the final round and dropped out of the top money consideration.

Hackbarth, also playing in Class C, was off to a poor start in yesterday's initial round with an 80, but fired a 2-over par 74 today to tie McLeod. Open champion 30 years ago for first money.

McLeod, Columbia Club in Washington professional, won his class, however, B, 55 to 59 years, holding a 3-stroke margin over Frank Baldwin, Garden City, Long Island. Jack Campbell, Philadelphia, won Class A, 60 years and over, with a 79 81-160 total for the 36 holes.

McLeod played the last six holes in even par to earn the tie, after playing the outgoing nine in 39 and then starting back 4 over par on the first three holes. He birdied the fifteenth and then lost the stroke with a bogey 5 on the last hole.

McLeod's card and par for the course:
Out..... 4 5 5 6 5 3 3 5 3—39
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Redwings Play Tie

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Southeast Club Swimmers Meet Tall Timbers

Swimmers of Southeast Boys Club will play host to the Tall Timbers Camp for Boys tonight in a dual swimming meet at the Southeast Pool, Seventeenth and Massachusetts avenue southeast, starting at 7:30 p. m.

Coach of the Tall Timbers natators is Archie Meatyard, former member of the University of Florida swimming team, which won the Southern Conference title for three years in succession. Meatyard captained the team in his senior year, and has been a director at Tall Timbers for the past few years.

George Washington's swimming ace, Max Rote, is the tank guide of the Southeast boys.

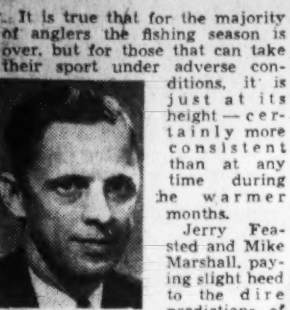
The Tall Timbers delegation which will invade Washington includes Tom and Dick Caldwell, Jack Hopkins, Robert Ruty, Ruddy Donovan, Bob and Bill Patterson, Pat Gogarty, Rudy Rowland, Jim Varelis, Blackie and Charlie Joslin, Slater Clarke, Herb Ogier and Gabby Pool.

ICE SKATE HEADQUARTERS

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Bill Ackerman

On Fishing



It is true that for the majority of anglers the fishing season is over, but for those who can take their sport under adverse conditions, it is just at its height—certainly more consistent than at any time during the warmer months.

Jerry Feasted and Mike Marshall, paying slight heed to the dire predictions of fair-weather anglers, went out with Capt. Raub Drury for one last trip, but, unless we are sadly mistaken, there will be several more, for many of their catch of 20 strippers were close to that "15-pound" limit.

It is odd, to say the least, how many fish weigh 15 pounds, not only before they are brought in to dock, but even after they are cleaned and the head and tail cut off.

Another oddity worth noting, the fish are feeding on alewives—as a rule—almost every day in the bay waters at this time of the year. And this is the prime reason for the schools rising so late in the season.

Preparations are being made in Miami to handle the largest number of anglers ever to visit southern Florida. Piscatorialists from every section of the United States are writing for information and reservations. Fishing guides are getting their gear in order.

The Potomac above Washington is supplying some real catfishing these days, with chicken entrails or minnows as the best bait. In using minnows for bait, the average fisherman does not feel prepared unless he has a big pile. Usually about twice the amount he can possibly use.

Several nearby States have forbidden the taking of any minnows, crawfish, hellgramites and other aquatic organisms that serve as fish food or fish bait from the streams. In Ohio, this is true of 175 of the principal streams, and most of the best lakes. They have learned that fishing cannot be perpetuated if there is not enough food there to permit the fish to thrive.

In West Virginia, there are about 200,000 anglers. If only one out of four used bait—and there is every reason to believe the proportion is greater—it would mean that 2,500,000 pieces of food were denied those Mother Nature originally intended it for. And more than half of those would be absolutely wasted by carelessness and thoughtlessness.

If you want better fishing, leave the food Mother Nature provides for the fish in the stream. The rate of growth of any species of fish is determined first by a suitable environment, and then by the amount of food available.

Some notes of interest from the Alabama Conservation Commission show that under normal conditions, where the water is suitable for growth throughout the year, the food supply suitable and adequate, a large-mouth bass should weigh from 2 1/2 to 3 pounds at the end of the third year.

In one experiment several years ago young bass were forced with ground beef hearts, and in 60 days recorded a growth of 8 inches.

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Central Five Looks to High Court Title

Coach Jack Ray Pleased With Cage Prospects; Plans Varied Defense

After an athletic lapse which carried its football and basketball teams to the bottom of the public high pile in 1937-38, Central High seems well on the way to regain its former high standing in inter-high circles as the cage season approaches. Its grid team won the football crown in little more than a walk, and according to Coach Jack Ray, the basketball squad may do the same.

More than 60 applicants for berths turned out two weeks ago when the Central mentor issued the call to courtmen. That number has been pared to a base 25 already, with still more cutting of the squad contemplated. A plan to carry two complete teams, one using the man-to-man and the other the zone defense, will necessitate a large squad, but not as large as the present one.

Coach Ray's prediction that Central may well be watched closely this cage season, develops out of the fact that only one 1937 letterman was lost to the squad. Johnny Fanning, the alternate forward and center who made numerous all-high selections, will be ineligible because of his age. The other regulars—Len Sokol, Archie Panago, Erwin Ornstein and Harry Martin—are back in harness and ready to go.

Dick Farr, who played with last year's team and was something of a pass-grabbing sensation with the grid squad this year, is not likely to play because of trouble with his school marks. Another player of last season, Lewis McKinney, may play some if his scholastic activities don't interfere.

Up from the junior varsity are such bright prospects as Louis Apostolakis, Slater Clarke, Bill Edgerton, Hank Baitz, Bob Lanzilotti and Art Pinner. A young forward whose nickname is a mistake, "Jello" Lagos, has been especially brilliant in drills. He neither plays nor is built like jello.

Central has already won a practice game over Wilson Teachers, by a score of 60-48. Coach Ray gave credit for the victory to his new-found system of alternating teams, using the zone type of defense. He says it keeps the opposition "balled up all the time." Central's regular schedule, not yet complete, follows:

January 7, John Marshall, at Richmond, Va.; 17, Anacostia, at Washington, D.C.; 20, Martinsburg, at Martinsburg, W. Va.; 24, Eastern, at Roosevelt, D.C.; 28, Eastern, at Roosevelt, D.C.; 31, Eastern, at Roosevelt, D.C.; February 4, York High, at York, Pa.; 11, Eastern, at Eastern, D.C.; 18, Eastern, at Eastern, D.C.; 25, Eastern, at Eastern, D.C.; March 1, Eastern, at Eastern, D.C.; 8, Eastern, at Eastern, D.C.; 15, Eastern, at Eastern, D.C.; 22, Eastern, at Eastern, D.C.; 29, Eastern, at Eastern, D.C.; April 5, Eastern, at Eastern, D.C.; 12, Eastern, at Eastern, D.C.; 19, Eastern, at Eastern, D.C.; 26, Eastern, at Eastern, D.C.; May 3, Eastern, at Eastern, D.C.; 10, Eastern, at Eastern, D.C.; 17, Eastern, at Eastern, D.C.; 24, Eastern, at Eastern, D.C.; 31, Eastern, at Eastern, D.C.

Georgetown Fresh Beat Devitt, 39-38

Georgetown's freshman cage team set a favorable precedent for the varsity last night, whipping Devitt Prep before the Hoyas-Western Maryland game by a 39-38 margin.

The victory came after the young Hoyas had trailed, 12-9, at halftime. Mainly instrumental in the Frosh triumph was Warren Jaques, a young forward from New York who tallied 11 of the total points. Kiernan, another forward, was second high for the team with 9 points.

Heavyest scorer of the two teams, however, was Jimmy Vermillion, of Tech's outstanding squad of 1938. Vermillion ran up a total of six field goals and four free throws for 16 points.

Here's the Consensus All-American Team

New York, Dec. 8 (U.P.)—The magazine Newsweek today announced a consensus All-American football team—made up by taking the 16 All-American teams picked by various newspapers and news agencies and averaging the votes for each player.

The team: Ends, Holland, Cornell, and Young, Oklahoma; tackles, Beiner, Notre Dame, and Wolf, Santa Clara; guards, Heikkinen, Michigan, and Smith, Southern California; center, Aldrich, Texas Christian; backs, O'Brien, Texas Christian; Goldberg, Pittsburgh; MacLeod, Dartmouth, and Bottari, California.

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TVA Official Predicts It Can Make a Profit

20 Million Annual Income Set; Morgan Set Loss at 3 Million

Congressional investigators heard yesterday that private utility experts had used a faulty basis of computation in estimating that the TVA's power development would cost the Government millions of dollars annually.

Instead, a TVA official testified, sales of energy at present rates would ultimately net an annual balance of 15 per cent after deduction of all costs.

J. A. Krug, the authority's chief power planning engineer, said estimates that the TVA would operate at a loss tended to underestimate revenues and overestimate expenditures.

Loss Set at \$10,000,000

Previous witnesses, notably Dr. Arthur E. Morgan and E. L. Moreland, testified that TVA computations did not take into consideration hidden cost factors, such as Government subsidies and freedom from taxation. Morgan, the chief chairman of the TVA, testified that the TVA would lose \$10,000,000 annually.

Krug submitted a mass of charts and estimated eventual annual income, on the basis of present rates, at \$20,251,000. This would leave a yearly balance of more than \$3,000,000 after all costs had been deducted, he said. The total cost of the power development for the ten dam system would be \$494,092,864, Krug estimated.

He said the TVA, in its cost computation, had included transmission, operating expense, payments to States, depreciation, interest on the Government's investment, and interest during construction, workmen's compensation, and amortization of investment and reservoir lands.

Jenkins Criticizes TVA

Representative Jenkins (Republican), of Ohio, criticized the TVA for selling its power at "less than cost" and on 20-year contracts.

He asked Krug, "when you sell for 20-year delivery when the project is not half finished? Wouldn't it have been better to wait until it was pretty well built to make long-term contracts? The common rule of a businessman is that he wants to know his cost before he sells anything."

Krug denied that the TVA was selling below cost and added it was common practice among private utilities to sell power before their plants were constructed.

Goodwill Bazaar To Be Held Today

A bazaar for benefit of Goodwill Industries will be held from 2 to 10 p. m. today at 1218 New Hampshire avenue northwest under auspices of the Goodwill Guild.

Entertainment from 6 to 10 p. m. will include Sonny Cotten's Orchestra, Miss Marjorie Lamkin, Fredrick Undied, Ardenia Calle and Ben Sienuta, and auctioning of a letterhead of the Lusitania.

Patrons include Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, Mrs. George H. Roosevelt and Miss Janet Richards. The floor committee is Ernest Humphrey, Daniel Co. A. R. Edgerton, James C. Dulin, Col. Edward Goring Bliss and W. Harold Snape.

Finnish Lessons Sent by Envoy To United States

American diplomatic officers in Helsinki, Finland, have forwarded to Washington the following lesson in the Finnish language: "Kokoo kokoon koko koko."

The translation: "Gather together the whole pile." "The whole pile."

For the benefit of Americans intending to go to the Olympic games in Finland in 1940, the report added that a surprising number of Finns speak English.

Capital Night Clubs

By Mary Harris.

Coming up! Gayeties in the night spots are already gathering momentum like a roller coaster. And when the undergraduates and co-eds begin to ramble home about December 17—the holiday season is going to swing out a la Tommy Dorsey. Remember, too, that New Year's will probably be celebrated double this year—both on Friday and Saturday, due to kind Uncle Sam setting pay day forward 24 hours to Friday, December 30.

Shoreham will offer a Christmas tree of entertainment (Latin-American style) on Monday. Jose Dominguez's Cuban Rumba Orchestra will inaugurate cocktail hour dancing in the lounge, also play evening dancing with the Barnes-directed Shoreham Orchestra.

All this is practically history-making. It will mark the first time that any Washington hotel or club has presented two orchestras and continuous dance music at a regular feature.

Senior Dominguez will also play Santa Claus at the cocktail hour by giving tree instruction in the rumbas and lango.

There'll be a new dance, too. La Triana, the Carmenesque dancer, will join the Shoreham floor show on Monday. Prima donna Nina Tarasova who has delighted Raleigh patrons for the last couple of months, will say farewell on Saturday.

Melody As You Like It: "You Must Have Been a Beautiful Baby," when Merion Dunn (Prima donna) sings it sweet at Bamboo Gardens.

Sande Williams and his Shazad orchestra, clowning "Ferdinand the Bull" with Walt Disney gestures.

That new arrangement of the 15-year-old "The Sheik" (inspired by Valentino) now being played by Johnny Shaw's Madrilion orchestra.

Beautiful gypsy songs warbled by Mrs. Matt Windsor (yes, you read it right) in the Anchor Room.

Beatty Stull (Mayfair) according to "Let a Smile Be Your Umbrella" on a rainy afternoon.

Howard Tophan doing a "Fats" Waller on the piano in the Up-town cocktail lounge. Getting too hot that even the waiters trucked as they carried their trays.

Vienna waltzes played in the true Viennese fashion at the Old Vienna by Fran Troppe.

One of the most vivid of the town's smaller orchestras is the Jack Torrey unit at Brinkley's. Typical of their burning rhythm is the way they put over "Tutti Frutti" the new "nut" song, acclaimed as the successor of "F. F. Fluege."

These Hour Glass style shows are getting stupendous. At Wednesday's showing of Paris toppers, the H. G. was not only packed, but more folks had to be turned away than were able to get in.

Hi Hat's in a double-dither! After Oscar and singer Angie Rodante had carefully lined their new bottle xylophone, taking hours and hours to get the notes just right, taking a teaspoonful of water out of one bottle, adding a drop to another, they went off and left the bottles standing on the bar. Along came the bartender (who knew nothing of this labor of art) and innocently emptied all the bottles.

Now it's all to do again. But Angie is going to play that bottle xylophone from next week to Christmas and she'll strike your favorite note on your favorite brand.

Quite personal: Richard F. Butler, young manager of the Hamilton Hotel, and Mrs. Butler, will leave for Miami next week and return to Washington a little later Christmas. His pleasant face will be missed around the Hamilton Rainbow Room.

Even J. Edgar Hoover finds it wise to take time out to relax a bit. He dropped into the Mayflower Lounge for an hour or so the other afternoon and didn't seem to be even thinking of public enemies.

Grace and Charlie Herbert (Lounge Riviera) are spending their spare time writing lyrics to a new song dealing with Washington folkies. Please be kind!

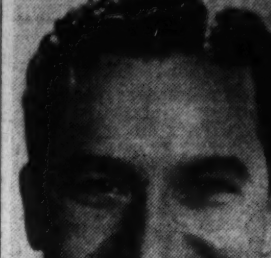
Peggy Townsend, one of the cuter of this season's crop of deb, will sing at the Cafe Caprice beginning Monday. She's a graduate of the Holton Arms School.

Mrs. Helen Hamilton, owner of Troika, has a diamond twice as big as a headlight—six carats, we think.

Pall Mall Bulletin: There'll be an all new show in the Pall Mall Room

Postlude

By Ray C. B. Brown.



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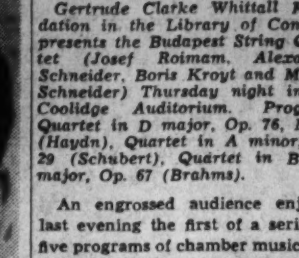
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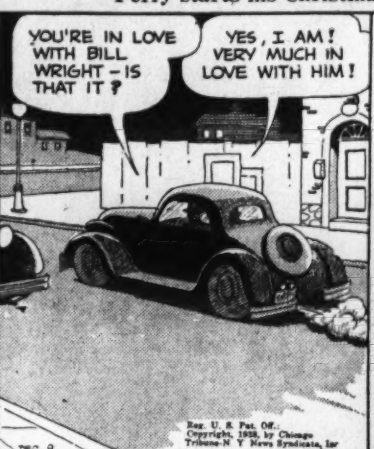
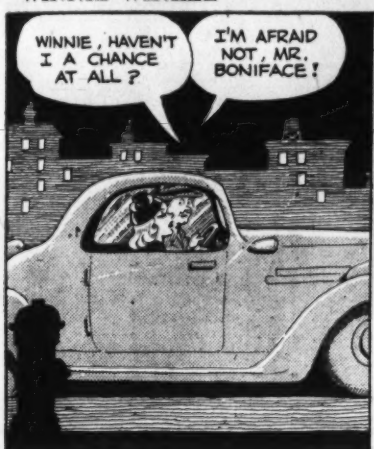
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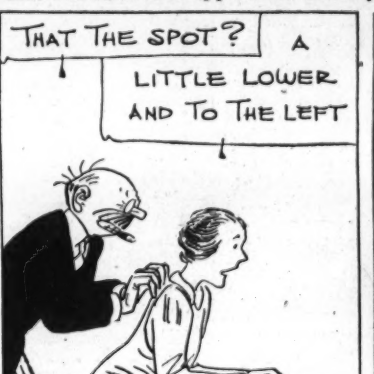
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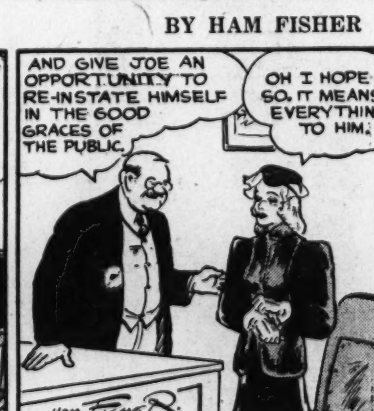
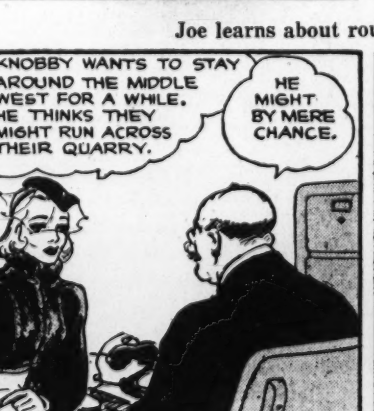
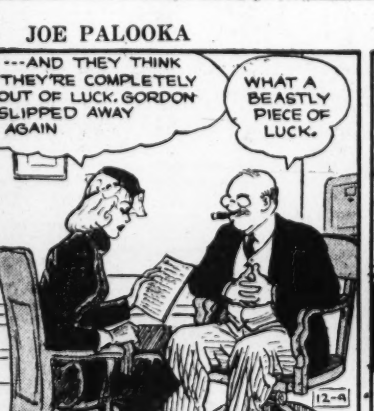
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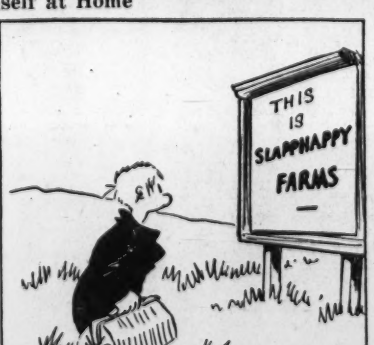
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ANNE GOLDSTEIN

MISS ANNE GOLDSTEIN, a junior clerk-stenographer in the Navy Department, was among the nominees yesterday for the title of "Miss Civil Service." And this will be pleasing news to her friends who are aware of her efficiency and personality. Miss Goldstein is a Girl Scout leader, is active in relief work and has been popular during the ten months of her service in the Government.

Among the nominations yesterday was the name of Miss Anita Stephenson, of the Bureau of Internal Revenue. Her sponsor is Commander John A. Long of Post 38, American Legion, who writes in as follows:

"In addition, this young lady has the efficiency, diligence, temperament and adaptability which certainly gives her the qualifications for the title of 'Miss Civil Service'."

For the benefit of late comers, we remind that the title "Miss Civil Service" will go to the feminine civil service employee, in the District of Columbia, who is adjudged the ideal feminine employee. Efficiency will be the main point on which the award is given. The award, a loving cup, will be made by The Post during National Civil Service Week, January 15-21. Send in your nominations, care Federal Diary, Washington Post. And let a photograph accompany the nomination; otherwise ask the nominee to call by The Post so that her photograph may be secured.

Mrs. D. Priscilla Edgerton, of the Washington office of the United States Forest Service, retired this month. She first came to the Forest Service in 1909 in an editorial capacity, later transferring to the division of publications of the Department of Agriculture.

In 1927 she was called to the Mississippi State Forestry Department to develop a program of forestry education in the schools of that State. Among her outstanding work there was the writing and publishing of an elementary textbook, "Southern Forests." This book

has given Mrs. Edgerton a widespread reputation as a leader in forestry education.

On her return to the Forest Service in 1930 she continued work in the same field. Her bulletin, "The Forest, a Handbook for Teachers," has been a "best seller" among Government publications. Her recent notable work is the booklet, "Famous Trees," of which she was co-author. Her research for this book on the notable and historic trees of the country has made her an authority in this field.

Just before her retirement, Mrs. Edgerton completed an outline on forest conservation for use in the high school social studies, which is

proving of great value to curriculum committees and other leaders in the public school field. It is also being used in the CCC camps.

GOVERNMENT figures stagger you. It's heard that they have just printed three billion stamps of 1-cent, 1-cent, 1-cent, 2-cent and 3-cent denominations in anticipation of the Christmas mail business. This is one billion more than were printed last year. The reason is that they anticipate a bigger business this year; the orders from postoffices all over the country have been larger than formerly.

An interesting relic comes to town—the stamp canceling machine that Charles Anderson used to cancel mail during the Byrd expedition to the South Pole. In those cold days, Anderson did his work at the machine in a postoffice 20 feet below ice. The machine has been placed in the Philatelic Exhibition Room in the Postoffice Department. Incidentally, Anderson, who retired some months ago, was a recent visitor to the department here.

EDITOR Joseph D. Cooper, of the Agriculture Exchange, notes that a play writing contest is being sponsored by the Drama Guild, and comments: "This appears to be an excellent opportunity for talented employees really to make something of their literary proclivities. There is probably no greater thrill than to be able to say to someone from your seat, 'I wrote that play.' But, alas, not always so, Mr. Cooper, not always so!"

Bob Burns Says—

I've always heard that the worst husbands get the best wives. I never did put much stock in that until my Uncle Nat got married. He was a great, big, loud talkin', overbearing, bully sort of a fella that never cared how he looked and he married the sweetest and shyest little woman in town. Everybody felt sorry for her because they knew he'd make a slave out of her.

Pretty soon, after he was married though, everybody started notice how neat and natty my uncle looked. When they asked him about it, he stuck his chest out in pride and says: "Yep, one of the first things my wife learned me was how to sew on buttons and darn socks!"

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PRIVATE LIVES



Contract Bridge

By Florence Osborn.

The next step in contract bidding, believe the experts, is the overall in a three-card minor suit. This bid of the future is now in the experimental stage and is being tried out by champions in tournament competition.

While on the subject of three-card suit bidding, it might be well to recall the principles upon which the opening three-card minor suit bid is based. Charles H. Goren, Philadelphia expert, has written a lucid explanation in his summary "Highlights of Winning Bridge."

"Bid three-card suits very cautiously," he says. "Never go out of the way to open the bidding on a three-card suit. It is a convenience device for mediocre hands. All good hands should be bid naturally. If the hand is good enough to bid two no-trump the second time, it must be opened with its really biddable suit."

"It is rarely desirable to bid a three-card suit in third position. If the hand is mediocre, and the partner has passed, no preparation to rebid is necessary. The three-card introductory bid is usually made in clubs, sometimes in diamonds, but never in a major suit. Spades—A K 10 2, Hearts—7 5 3 Diamonds—3 6 4, Clubs—A J 4. 'With this hand, in first or sec-

Today's Hand

East-West Vulnerable
WEST DEALER

♠ K 8
♥ 9 7 4
♦ Q 6 5 3
♣ A Q 9

♠ J 10 4
♥ K J 10
♦ 3 2
♣ A J 10

♠ 7 6 5 3
♥ 6
♦ 7 4
♣ J 10 8 6 3

The bidding:
West North East South
1♥ 2♣ (1) 4♥ 5♣ (2)
Dbl. Pass Pass Pass
Opening lead: K♥

ond position, bid one club. If partner bids one diamond or one heart, the proper rebid is one spade.

"An opening bid of one spade may rebidding awkward if the responding hand bids two diamonds or two hearts."

"With this hand in third position, open with one spade, intending to pass any responses the partner may make."

Today's hand, played by Goren in the 1938 all-American individual master's championship in Chicago, illustrates the successful use of the three-card minor suit overcall.

Through it an unexpected save was made against the adversaries' four-heart declaration, which resulted in an excellent score for Goren and his partner. With a natural overcall instead of the lead-directing bid, another suit would have been selected and the save would have proved anything but profitable.

The hand was bid at most tables in this manner:

West North East South
1♥ 2♣ 4♥ 5♣
Dbl. Pass Pass Pass

Four spades was defeated five tricks, a loss of 900 points, which was a very bad result in view of the fact that the adverse game was worth but 620 points.

The way Goren bid the hand is shown in today's box. His comments follow:

"(1) Shows control. Can always be taken out into two diamonds if doubled.

"(2) South, knowing North has at least three clubs with high honors, can make a beautiful sacrifice bid of five clubs, down two tricks, minus 300 points."

Va. Boy Badly Hurt By Accidental Shot

Special Dispatch to The Post.
Charlottesville, Va., Dec. 8.—Richard Elmer Faulkner, 13-year-old son of Orval C. Faulkner, of Lignum, Culpeper County, is undergoing treatment at the University of Virginia Hospital for serious gunshot wounds accidentally inflicted by an elder brother yesterday afternoon.

Today's Radio Highlights

Umbrella Court of the Air, with Judge Mark Question and nineteen dollars in awards for the winning witnesses—WMAU, 8:30 p. m.

Margaret Sullivan plays opposite Orson Welles in the latter's dramatization of Daphne du Maurier's "Rebecca," with a two-way telephone conversation between Welles, in New York, and Miss du Maurier, in London, as a feature of the program.

"Moonbeams"—half-hour for music lovers of classical and semi-classical selections, with orchestra, choir and soloists—WOL, 9:30 p. m.

Anthony Eden speaking on "Democracy and the Modern World," at the annual dinner of the National Association of Manufacturers—WMAU, 10 p. m., WJVS, 10:30 p. m.

Formal ceremonies opening Eighth International Conference of States at Lima, Peru, with address by Peruvian Minister, Carlos Concha, president of the conference—transcribed rebroadcast—WRC, 12 midnight.

Friday, Dec. 9	Washington	Eastern Standard Time
WMAU 476M-630KC	WRC 316M-850KC	WOL 229M-1,230 KC WJVS 206M-1,460KC
6:00	Gordon	Art Brown
6:15	Hittman	Arthur Godfrey
6:30	Today's Parade	News
6:45	Art Brown	Art Brown
7:00	"	"
7:15	"	Arthur
7:30	Station PDS	News
7:45	Present	Art Brown
8:00	News	News
8:15	Gordon	Arthur Godfrey
8:30	Earl Godwin	News
8:45	Calling All Stars	Art Brown
9:00	Interlude	News, Happy Jack
9:15	Breakfast Club	Mary Mason
9:30	Smile Parade	Waltz Themes
9:45	"	News; Police File; Bach. Children
10:00	Story of Month	Mrs. Wiggs
10:15	Josh Higgins	Let's Talk It Over
10:30	Ralph Blaine	Just Plain Bill
10:45	Petticoat Lane	Woman in White
11:00	Mary Martin	David Harum
11:15	Vic and Sade	Lorenzo Jones
11:30	Paul Page	Widow Brown
11:45	Piano Duo	Musical Workshop

AFTERNOON PROGRAMS.

12:00	Folk Music	News, Music	Theater Row	M. M. McBride	12:00
12:15	News	News	News	Nancy James	12:15
12:30	National Affairs	The O'Neills	Happy Hollow	Hal Treadwell	12:30
12:45	Home Hour	Topical Times	Bunch Gal	Sunday	12:45
1:00	"	"	"	"	1:00
1:15	Farm News	"	"	"	1:15
1:30	Manufacturers	Encores	Tony Wakeman	Life, Beautiful	1:30
1:45	Convention	Happy Glimpses	V. of Experience	Day Is Ours	1:45
2:00	Music	Betty and Bob	Tony Wakeman	Irene Beasley	2:00
2:15	Appreciation	Grimm's Daughter	"	"	2:15
2:30	"	Valiant Lady	"	"	2:30
2:45	"	Betty Crocker	"	"	2:45
3:00	United States	Mary Martin	News	Aladdin's Kitchen	3:00
3:15	Navy Band	Ma Parkins	Tony Wakeman	"	3:15
3:30	Varieties	Young's Family	"	Arch McDonald	3:30
3:45	Book Ends	Guiding Light	"	"	3:45
4:00	Dr. Spoeber	Backstage Wife	"	"	4:00
4:15	Club Matinee	Stella Dallas	"	"	4:15
4:30	"	Vic and Sade	"	"	4:30
4:45	News	Girl Alone	"	"	4:45
5:00	Time Types	Dick Tracy	Evening Shadows	"	5:00
5:15	Shank's Orchestra	Your Family	Miss Jimmy Scribner	"	5:15
5:30	Don Winslow	Jack Armstrong	Cocktail Capers	I. M. Orsburne	5:30
5:45	Tom Mix	N. R. C. Program	Dorothy Jordan	Ol' Skipper	5:45

EVENING PROGRAMS.

6:00	Cloutier's reb.	News, Music	Sports Resume	News, Music	6:00
6:15	News	Music	Variety Program	Howie Wing	6:15
6:30	Intermezzo	George Hall	Walter Compton	Bob Trout	6:30
6:45	Lowell Thomas	Orchestra	Little Review	Sophie Tucker	6:45
7:00	Artie Shaw	Amos 'n' Andy	Fulton Lewis, Jr.	Arch McDonald	7:00
7:15	Orchestra	Jimmy Fidler	Wa, the Jury	Lum and Abner	7:15
7:30	The Revelers	Think It's New?	Lone Ranger	Jack Haley	7:30
7:45	Amv. Party	Sir Willmet Lewis	"	"	7:45
8:00	Warden Lewis	"	Labor Parade	First Nighter	8:00
8:15	E. Lawes	Concert	Ch. Cheer Club	"	8:15
8:30	Umbrella Court	"	Symphonic	Burns and Allen	8:30
8:45	"	"	Strings	"	8:45
9:00	Plantation Party	Waltz Time	News, Music	Orson Welles	9:00
9:15	Musical	"	Spirituals	"	9:15
9:30	N. R. C. Program	Death Valley	"	"	9:30
9:45	The Old-Timer	Days	"	"	9:45
10:00	Natl. Association	Serenade	Front Page Drama	Grand Con.	10:00
10:15	Manufacturers	"	Fishing Facts	tral Station	10:15
10:30	Convention	Extra Extra	Art Brown	Anthony Eden	10:30
10:45	Anthony Eden	Wash. Heroes	"	Am. Viewpoints	10:45
11:00	News	News, Sports	News, Music	News, Music	11:00
11:15	Music as You	Modern	Hall's Orchestra	Tommy Dorsey	11:15
11:30	Desire it	Music	Nation's	Paul Kain	11:30
11:45	"	Maestros	Playhouse	Orchestra	11:45
12:00	Night Watchman	8th Internat.	Sammy Kaye's	Abe Lyman's	12:00
12:15	(Until 2 a. m.)	Conference of	Orchestra	Orchestra	12:15
12:30	"	American	Jan Garber's	Dick Barrie's	12:30
12:45	"	States	Orchestra	Orchestra	12:45
1:00	"	"	Lawrence Walk's	Weather	1:00
1:15	"	"	Orchestra	"	1:15
1:30	"	"	Dance Music	"	1:30
1:45	"	"	"	"	1:45
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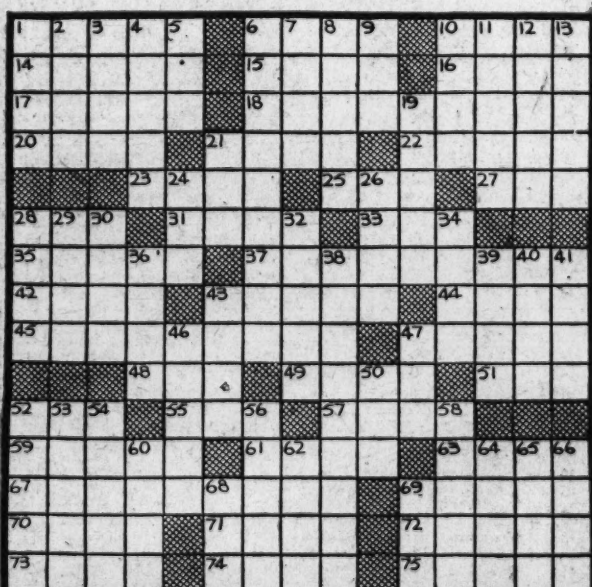
Daily Cross Word Puzzle

- ACROSS.
- 1 Antic
 - 2 Small valley
 - 3 A nation's history
 - 4 Cause to be merry
 - 5 Ill
 - 6 Heraldic bearing
 - 7 Cause repeatedly
 - 8 Heraldic state
 - 9 Starling points
 - 10 Clutter
 - 11 Small sailing vessel
 - 12 A cauchin monkey
 - 13 Be attentive
 - 14 Cane
 - 15 The fullest part of a ship's bow
 - 16 The marab crocodile
 - 17 Came into view
 - 18 Kind of rotating
 - 19 Hiccup
 - 20 Skeddle
 - 21 Firmer
 - 22 A lily
 - 23 Whispy-waahy
 - 24 Chatter
 - 25 Great letter
 - 26 Staff of a column
 - 27 Celtic sea god
 - 28 Brother
 - 29 Realize
- DOWN.
- 1 Comb
 - 2 Bowfin
 - 3 Kind of fishes
 - 4 Banishment
 - 5 Female ruff
 - 6 The moral law
 - 7 River in England
 - 8 Chains
 - 9 Dwarf
 - 10 Put
 - 11 Melodies
 - 12 Damp
 - 13 Drawn tightly
 - 14 Harmony in color
 - 15 Unity repeated
 - 16 Beverage
 - 17 Swaved
 - 18 derivative
 - 19 Jumble
 - 20 Flat plinth
 - 21 Performer
 - 22 Jewish month
 - 23 Faction
 - 24 Diplomatic agents at foreign courts
 - 25 Not written
 - 26 Musical instrument
 - 27 Wife of Cuchulain
 - 28 Twice round
 - 29 Clear cotton
 - 30 Flowing
 - 31 Spanish fish
 - 32 Upper extremity of the forearm
 - 33 A pair
 - 34 Garment worn by Roman matrons
 - 35 Heredity
 - 36 Back
 - 37 River in Armenia
 - 38 Ancient chisel
 - 39 Salver
 - 40 Arise
 - 41 Pooh-pooh

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER.

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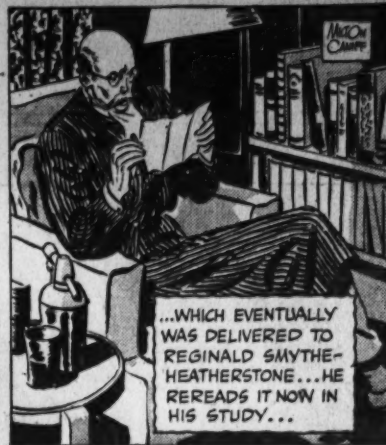
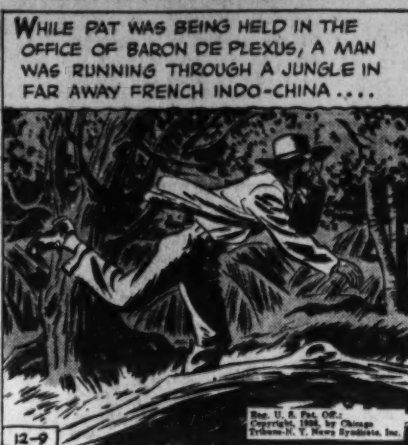
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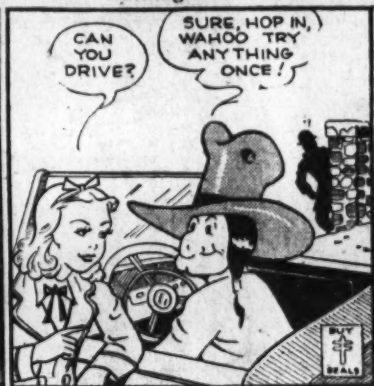
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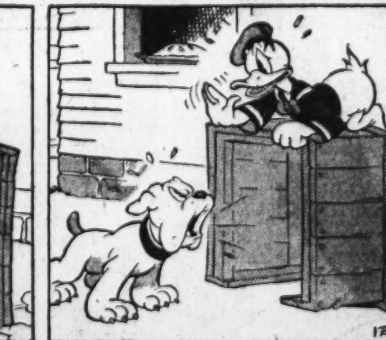
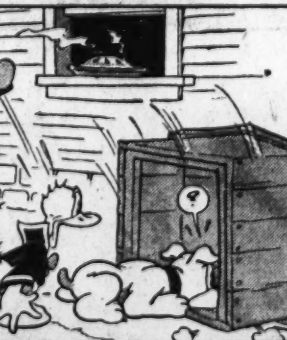
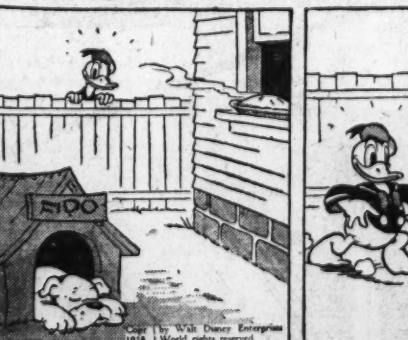
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Biff meets Dolores Allen, actress—this Sunday

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Beth Shalom Group To Hear Dr. Kraskin

Dr. Louis H. Kraskin, president of the District Board of Examiners in Optometry, will speak tonight at Beth Shalom Congregation on "Judaism and Mental Hygiene." Cantor

for Jeremiah Weitz, assisted by the choir, will offer a service at 8 p. m. Rabbi Solomon H. Metz will speak at the Benjamin Franklin Lodge of Masons on "The Struggle Within"

at Adas Israel Synagogue. Cantor Louis Novick will assist and Dr. A. Harry Ostrow, master of the lodge, will speak on "Persecution Throughout the Ages."

Professor to Speak

Prof. H. Naylor Fitzhugh, of Howard University, will speak on "Reciprocity in Business" at the Civic National Forum at the Good Will Baptist Church Sunday.

Burton Holmes to Give Travel Talk Tonight

"Brightest South Africa" will be the subject of a lecture illustrated with motion pictures and lantern slides to be given before the National Geographic Society by Burton Holmes, noted traveler, tonight at Constitution Hall.

Holmes will take his audience on an "armchair" tour from Capetown to Rhodesia.

Commodore G. F. Bauer Advanced to Admiral

The promotion of Commodore George W. Bauer, U. S. Naval Reserve, to rear admiral, was approved yesterday by Secretary of the Navy

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